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The First Coinage of the Americas

Mexico 1536: Prima Numisma America

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OUR GENERATION has witnessed many wars: wars brought about by the invasion and conquest of one country by another. After conquest has been accomplished, commerce then starts and a new struggle, a monetary struggle, begins. It is between the money of the conqueror and the money of the vanquished. The first monetary struggle on our continent started in 1521 in the

continent in the Yucatan peninsula.

A year later, Good Friday of 1519, Hernán Cortés founded La Villa Rica de la Vera Cruz on the mainland, and two years afterward he conquered, once for all, the Great Tenochtitlan. Cortés had won, Moctezuma had lost, and New Spain (Nueva España) had been born. The monetary struggle then began, between the monetary system of the



Fig. 1. Jade collar beads used as money by the aborigines of Mexico. (Laza de la Vega coll.)

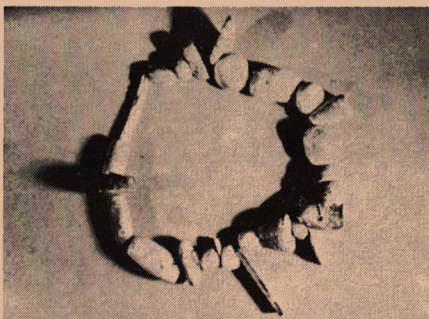


Fig. 2. Stone beads used by aborigines of Mexico for money. (Torres Fuentes coll.)

City of Mexico, then called the Great Tenochtitlan: the place of the Tenochcas, the followers of Tenoch.

This is how it came about: Columbus invaded America in 1492 — that is, what we now call America. Other invaders followed and landed in various islands of the Caribbean. No monetary struggle took place in this area as trading was done mostly on a barter basis. However, when Juan de Grijalva reached Tabasco in 1518 and explored the river that still bears his name, he became aware that the natives had a certain almond or bean that they called “cacahuatl,” or simply “cacao,” which they used as money. Fray Bartolomé de las Casas mentions that Columbus had a similar experience, in his fourth voyage, at Guanajay as the natives of this island traded with the

European civilization and that of the civilization of the New World.

The natives of this continent did not have the same concept of money that we now have, of course; nor did they have metal coins as we know them today. They did have, however, monies or what I call a “Polycommodity Currency.” Among the many things that they used as money, we may mention: collar beads of jade, Fig. 1; collar beads of stone, Fig. 2; quills filled with gold dust, Fig. 3; hoe money (Tajaderas), Fig. 4; and cacao (cocoa beans), Fig. 5. The last is so common to us nowadays in the form of chocolate, from the nahuatl: chocolatl, meaning “sour water.”

The cocoa beans, or grains, were assorted in four different types depending on their size. Only the good grains could be used as money, the small ones

were ground for food. The natives stored their grains, including cacao, in big baskets called "cuexcomates." Fig. 6.

In the native "tianguis" (market)

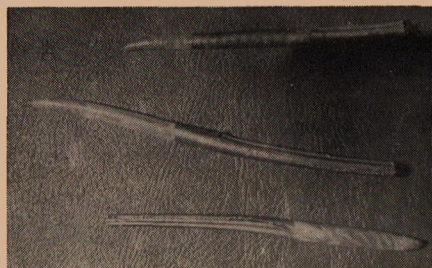


Fig. 3. Quills filled with gold dust used as money by the Mexican natives. (Torres Fuentes coll.)



Fig. 4. Hoe money (Tajaderas) 1—Zapoteca (Monte Alban, Oaxaca) 2—Mixteca (Mitla, Oaxaca) 3—Natlaxincu (Chilpancingo, Gro)

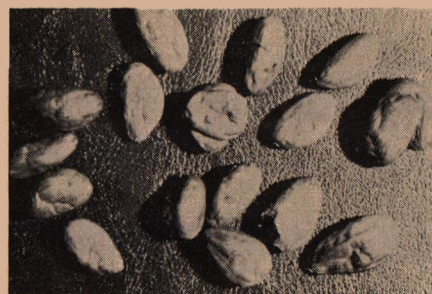


Fig. 5. Cacao grains (cocoa beans) used as money for many years.

cacao grains had definite values, and we learn that: 1 grain would buy 1 zapote (fruit), 10 grains would buy 1 rabbit, 100 grains would buy 1 slave,

etc. Further, the natives had an excellent system of accounting. Their numerical system was not decimal as ours but vigesimal (proceeding by twenties). Therefore, the accounting of cacao grains was as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \times 20 &= 20 \text{ (zempoali)} \\ 20 \times 20 &= 400 \text{ (zontle)} \\ 400 \times 20 &= 8,000 \text{ (xiquipilli)} \\ 8,000 \times 3 &= 24,000 \text{ (carga, or load)} \end{aligned}$$

In many rural parts of Mexico, they still use "zontle" as a unit for lumber,



Fig. 6. Natives used big baskets to store grain. Part of a page from the Lienzo de Tlaxcala, by A. Chavero, showing people of Veyotlipan offering gifts at the Cortez palace.

firewood, fruits, etc. To give a better idea of weight and value: 1 carga = 12 arrobas at 25 pounds each = 300 pounds, approximately what a "tameme" (Indian porter) could carry. A carga was worth 40 castellanos of 500 maravedis, or $73\frac{1}{2}$ eight real pieces (Pieces-of-Eight).

Of course it was extremely difficult to do business with this native system; it also provided the Spaniards with a good excuse not to trade with cacao. So much so that, in order to stop this practice, the city council decreed on January 28, 1527, "Not to receive cacao grains by count except by measure sealed by the City" (Vender cacao por cuenta salvo medida sellada con el sello de la ciudad e colmada). This simply meant that the Spaniards did not like to accept cacao grains as money, and they reduced this product to a mere commodity as any other.

This measure, very likely, encouraged the natives to increase the forgery that they had been practicing. This con-



Fig. 7. Copper, silver and gold coins brought by the conquistadores. The first European currency used in this continent.

sisted in removing the nutritious part of the kernel, without damaging the hull, and filling it with mud or clay. This counterfeiting was so perfect that, years later, the Viceroy D. Antonio de Mendoza sent some counterfeit grains to the King of Spain as a curiosity.

The Spaniards, on the other hand, had a more confusing monetary system. Spain had been formed by the union of many small kingdoms that had their own coinage. Many of these coins had a Moorish influence due to more than seven hundred years of Arab domination. The values of one locality did not match the values of another. For centuries this confusion and monetary struggle went on in spite of the efforts and decrees of various kings, due to tradition and local opposition.

At the time of the Conquest, Castille (Castilla) was the dominant power in Spain and the castillian monetary system was being forcibly introduced over the whole country. The basis of the Spanish monetary system was not the "real" but the "maravedi," from "morabetin." This coin had had a very complex and hazardous life. It started as a gold unit (unidad aurea) under King

Alfonso VIII (1158-1214) and ended up by being the lowest denomination copper coin under Queen Isabel II (1833-1868). An excellent example of devaluation! At the time of the Spanish invasion the maravedi was already on its way down. It took 34 maravedis to equal 1 silver real.

Historians say that the Spaniards brought with them very little money. Nevertheless, they did bring some coins which at that time were being used in Spain. Fig. 7. Converting these to a common value in maravedis, we form these tables:

Gold

- 1 doblon = 750 maravedis
- 1 castellano = 500 maravedis
- 1 ducado = 375 maravedis
- 1 dobla = 365 maravedis
- 1 escudo = 350 maravedis

Silver

- 8 reales = 272 maravedis
- 4 reales = 136 maravedis
- 2 reales = 68 maravedis
- 1 reales = 34 maravedis
- $\frac{1}{2}$ reales = 17 maravedis

To do business trying to match the

European and native systems was most awkward. The need for a common coinage acceptable to both parties was a must, but then the question was: what type should it be?

It is quite clear that Spain wanted to start in New Spain with a clean slate, and the "real" was adopted as a basis. After years of struggle with various officials of the Spanish court, Viceroy D. Antonio de Mendoza obtained the much awaited Royal Decree dated May 11, 1535, to establish a mint in Mexico City to strike only silver and copper

known of the last coin and we believe that it was never minted.

The $\frac{1}{4}$ real and the 3 reales coins met general dislike. The first coin was too small (0.75 grams), the second too similar to the next denominations. The $\frac{1}{4}$ reale was soon discontinued and the 3 reales followed suit. This limited the coins in circulation to 4, 2, 1 and $\frac{1}{2}$ real, all silver. Quite a problem was created because the smallest coin left was the silver $\frac{1}{2}$ real, which was too big for small daily transactions.

The Spaniards had to compromise



Fig. 8. Obv. and rev. of 4 real coin. Silver, 34 mm., 13.32 grams. One of the first coins struck. Initial R is for Rincon, first assayer.



Left, obv. of 2 real coin, silver, 27 mm., 6.02 grams, initial G for Gutierrez, second assayer. Right, obv. of 1 real coin, silver, 24 mm., 3.10 grams, initial R for Rincon.



Obv. and Rev. of $\frac{1}{2}$ real. Silver, 20 mm., 1.39 grams. K stands for Karolvs et Johana.



Obv. and rev. of $\frac{1}{4}$ real. Silver, 16 mm., 0.69 grams. The smallest coin in the series.

coins. Gold was not minted on our continent until 1679 in Mexico City. This was not the first authorization for a mint in this part of the world; Columbus had received one on June 13, 1497. However, there is no record of his using this authority nor have any coins been reported from it.

The first mint on the continent, therefore, started operations in April of 1536 and today, after 430 years of continuous operation, is still working in the City of Mexico, formerly Great Tenochtitlan. The first type of coins, or early series, followed the pattern of the Carlos & Johanna coins used in the mother country. The mint then struck coins of 4, 3, 2, 1, $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ real (Fig. 8) in silver and possibly coins of 4 and 2 maravedis in copper. However, no specimen is

and the city council rescinded its previous decree and issued a new one on October 24, 1536, allowing cacao grains to be sold by count "and not otherwise." That is, cacao grains were money again, and could alternate with metal coins. This was a most happy marriage of the European and native monetary systems. It lasted, as in fairy tales, for many years; indeed, until the second half of the last century. That is, for over 300 years.

Evidently the Spaniards had overlooked the fact that the natives had no concept of metal coins. Another very important point: the natives were not familiar with the European or so-called "Arabic" numerals that we still use and which have now become practically universal. Some early pieces could be





















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 $15 \times 20 = 300$  $19 \times 1 = 19$ <hr/> 319		 $1 \times 360 = 360$  $0 \times 20 = 0$  $0 \times 1 = 0$ <hr/> 360		 $6 \times 7200 = 43200$  $13 \times 360 = 4680$  $0 \times 20 = 0$  $9 \times 1 = 9$ <hr/> 47889		

Fig. 9. Numerals used by the Mayan in the Yucatan peninsula (Centro de Investigaciones Antropológicas, Mexico)

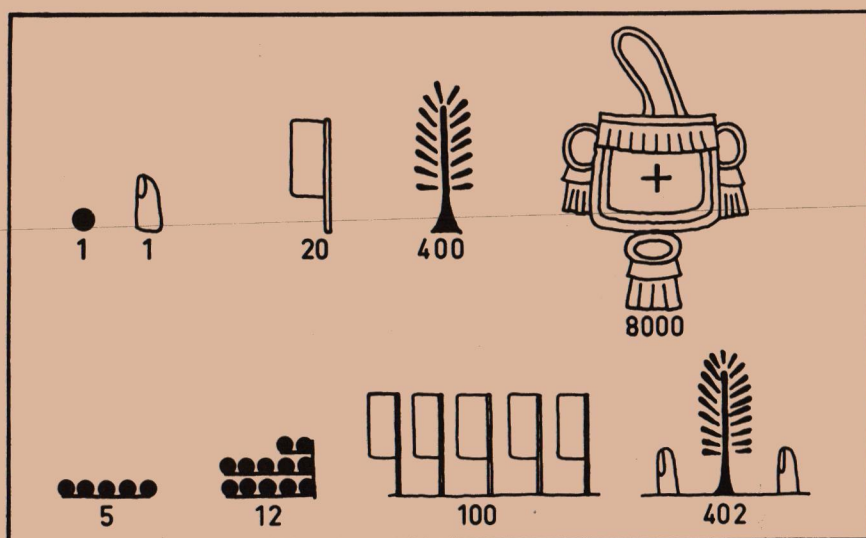


Fig. 10. Numerals used by the Mexicas in central Mexico. (Same source as Fig. 9)

identified only by weight or size, and this was sometimes difficult due to their irregularity.

The natives had more than one numerical system. The most important were the Mayan (Fig. 9), the Mexica (Fig. 10) and the codice Mendocino. Therefore the Spaniards had to compromise again and a new coin issue, or late series, was struck to make sure

cally all disappeared from circulation. Fortunately, quite a few pieces of 4 maravedis (Fig. 12), mostly damaged, have been recovered from the lake bed; but very, very few of the 2 maravedis (Fig. 13) have shown up. Thus this piece is one of the rarest coins of Mexican numismatics.

No further attempt to strike copper was made until 1814, nearly 300 years



Fig. 11. Coins of the later series, 4, 2, 1 and 1/2 real. Notice the dots on the 2 and 1 real coins, the 3 reales not being available to photograph.

that all coins of 1, 2 and 3 reales bore 1, 2 and 3 dots, respectively, instead of Arabic numerals (Fig. 11). The 4 and the 1/2 real coins could be distinguished by their size and weight.

The copper coins had a very short

later. But the need for small change persisted and increased as time went by. Eventually this need paved the way to the "tlacos," hacienda tokens and all sorts of other tokens made not only of copper but of other metals as well as of leather, bone, wood, etc.

Four and a half centuries have now gone by; Lake Texcoco is now dried up;



Fig. 12. A 4 maravedi piece. Copper, 32 mm., 5.62 grams. Most copper coins were thrown into the lake.

and sad life. The Viceroy D. Antonio de Mendoza insisted on having copper coins instead of cacao grains. He ordered in 1542 that 4 and 2 maravedis be issued. These coins were badly made and also were unattractive. Further, the natives did not like them and threw them into Lake Texcoco which then surrounded the City of Mexico. Practi-



Fig. 13. Obv. and rev. of 2 maravedi coin, a rare Mexican piece. Copper, 24 mm., 2.83 grams.

the Great Tenochtitlan is now a city of six million inhabitants; Moctezuma Imperial Mansion is now our National Palace; Spaniards and natives are now one—the Mexican people; the mint that started in 1536, in the heart of Mexico City, is no longer there; all has changed. But one fact remains and will forever: these are the first coins minted in Mexico—"Prima Numisma America."

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University Numismatic Curriculum

Dr. Rolf A. Weil, president of Roosevelt University in Chicago, has announced that Arthur M. Kagin, past president of the Professional Numismatists Guild, has appointed an action committee to establish the financial



Dr. Rolf A. Weil

support needed for introduction of a curriculum leading to a major in numismatics at the University. According to Kagin, the program will be the first of its kind in the United States. For the fall semester, 1965, the Guild cooperatively established an experimental adult educational course with the University through its Division of Continuing Education, stressing the study of coins and currency as a guide to the history of civilization. The course was also available for credit to special students enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Dean Otto Wirth of the Arts and Sciences College said, "The new broadened program in numismatic studies

will meet the needs of students who would like to secure knowledge and appreciation of numismatics as a field of concentration."

The action committee, headed by Kagin, includes Dr. J. Hewitt Judd, Omaha, Nebr.; Professor John S. Davenport, Galesburg, Ill.; Eric P. Newman, St. Louis, Mo.; Joseph M. Segel, Yeadon, Penna.; and Admiral O. H. Dodson, Urbana, Ill.

Dr. Lucy Ann Marx, director of the Division of Continuing Education at Roosevelt, administered the initial adult education course, which has continued with a second series of lectures through the spring semester. Public response to the series led to the development of the new curriculum. Prerequisite courses leading to a major in numismatics will include European Economic History or the Economic History of the United States; Money and Banking, and the Introduction to Anthropology. Also required is evidence of linguistic competence in Latin on the fourth semester college level, or in Greek on the second semester college level.

During 1965 the International Nickel Company delivered, it reports, the following quantities of metals (figures rounded out): nickel — 493,000,000 pounds; copper — 276,000,000 pounds; cobalt — 2,000,000 pounds; platinum group metals and gold — 511,000 troy ounces; silver — 1,580,000 troy ounces; and iron ore — 890,000 tons.

A DE GORTZ DALER OVERSTRIKE

The 24 mm. copper dalers of Sweden, issued from 1715 to 1719, and the overstrikes of same under Queen Ulrika are listed and illustrated in many coin publications, although the author knows of no mention ever being made of a Queen Ulrika overstrike dated 1718. Eklund in his *Copper Coins of Sweden* lists the "Mercurius" as the ninth issue of the DeGortz (Finance Minister, 1715-



Fig. 1. Mercury's foot over first "1" in date. Illustration slightly over actual size of coins.

18) dalers. This piece comes in two varieties. Fig. 1 shows Mercury's right foot over the first figure of the date, while in Fig. 2 the foot is to the left of the date. The reverses of these pieces show different dies for both types, most apparent in the placement of the dots on the left in relation to the horizontal lines. The letters SM on the reverse are for "silver money," although the coins are copper.

A newly discovered variety of the Queen Ulrika daler dated 1718 but overstruck in 1719 is an interesting oddity in that the process of overstriking left the original date so clear that it is readily apparent which variety of "Mercurius" was overstruck (Fig. 3). In fact, the overstrike registered but one figure of the new date, the second 1



Fig. 2. Foot to left of first "1" in the date.

being clearly visible under the crown. The VERS on the overstrikes in 1719 and 1720 were for Ulrika Eleanora, Queen of Sweden. Overstrikes were made in 1720 and 1721 bearing the letters FRs for Frederick, King of Sweden, who was Ulrika's husband. — CLARK S. YOWELL, A.N.A. 18131



Fig. 3. A 1718 coin overstruck in 1719. Portions of original obverse and reverse designs show clearly.

It's Serious Business



Discussing trophies for the May 13-15 Indiana State Numismatic Association convention are Exhibit Chairman John H. Schroeder, I., and Dr. Charles F. Leich, chairman of the convention. The eighth annual event will be in Evansville, with A.N.A. President Matt H. Rothert as guest of honor. Among special noncompetitive displays will be Spanish pirate gold recovered from sunken galleons off the coast of Florida, recently described in *NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC* and *SATURDAY EVENING POST* magazines.

New Variety 1798 Silver Dollar?

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PROBABLY every numismatist and coin collector dreams of owning a one-of-its-kind coin. Unfortunately, this happy experience is withheld from the great majority of collectors but possibly it has happened to me.

Some years ago I purchased a 1798 silver dollar which, upon close examination, appears to be a rarity — a once-in-a-lifetime occurrence. This early silver dollar is described, for the most part, on page 35 in Bolender's *The United States Early Silver Dollars* under the B-8 (H-8) heading. On the obverse, the stars on the right are very close to the *y* in *LIBERTY* and the bust. There is a long vertical die flaw in the center of the left field and a die "dot" near the edge between two denticles above the left part of the *r* in *LIBERTY*.

However, there are only 12 stars on the obverse of my coin, whereas all 1798 silver dollars are described as having 13 stars. The star in the 9 o'clock area, the third from the *L* in *LIBERTY*, is completely missing.

The reverse has the four large berries on the branch, this being the only reverse of the year with only four berries. There is the light mark from the border through the upper left part of the *E* in *STATES*. The point of the leaf is under the left upright of the *i* in *AMERICA*, as described by Bolender.

But again there is a difference on my piece, the *E* in *UNITED* showing only the top horizontal part. This is in the same location on the reverse as the missing star is on the obverse. This coin has been graded a strong extra fine by several coin dealers and collectors. There are two minor scratches on the obverse, one to the right of the chin and one on the neck at the left side below the ear. Bolender classifies the B-8 dollar variety as a common one, rarity 1.

This coin presents some interesting questions and observations. What would cause the star to be missing on the obverse? One can consider the possibility, and probability, that residue metal flakes from the previously struck coin

could have filled the star depression in the die to such an extent that the star was not formed when the coin was struck. The strongest microscope shows a smooth surface at the star area, similar to that found on plain surfaces in other areas.



1798 B-8 silver dollar with only 12 stars.

Another knowledgeable numismatist has proposed a second possible solution to the missing star, based upon an examination of the photographs. He points out the weakness of the two stars nearest the missing one, in comparison to the others on the coins, as well as the weakness in the lettering on the reverse in the same location, and suggests that the planchet was thin in this particular place. If this was true, he concludes, there was not sufficient metal to flow into the two dies at this point.

Could this star have been removed skillfully and, if so, why was only one

removed? There is the chance that this could have been done but the surface shows no machine, sand or file marks in the missing star area. These facts would rule out this possibility, in our opinion, despite the knowledge that coins have been "altered expertly by certain charlatans." As far as could be ascertained, this silver dollar was handed down from generation to generation in the same family, none of whom fit this classification or would hire someone to have the altering done.

What about the ϵ in UNITED on the reverse in the same location? It also appears probable that metal residue in the form of one or more flakes partially filled the ϵ in the die with the resultant obliteration of the lower part of this letter. It could be coincidental that the missing details were at the 9 o'clock area on both sides of the coin.

The obverse and reverse photographs were sent to M. H. Bolender with our comments about the missing star. He replied that my explanation appeared to be reasonable and that this might be "a fraud or a freak." The fraud idea has been eliminated, I believe, by a spectrographic analysis. Bolender said that a better opinion would result from a visual examination of the coin itself and recommended that it be sent to a well known numismatist in Philadelphia. This was done and the Philadelphian, after an examination, further recommended the spectrographic analysis. This analysis showed the same metallic composition at the missing star area as on the obverse field. No abnormalities were discovered, which strengthens the case against alteration and fraud. The Philadelphia numisma-

tist was extremely interested in this unusual coin.

Other characteristics of my 1798 silver dollar are: diameter — 39 mm. (approx. 1 17/32 in.); thickness — 2 mm. (approx. 3/32 in.); weight — 26.95 grams (approx. 415.8 grains). The weight is only about .2 grains less than the specified weight of 416.0 grains in the Coinage Act of 1792. This slight decrease in weight helps to rule out alteration, and is well within the margin of error which prevailed at the time of producing these dollars.

As to the word "freak," the Webster dictionary states, among other things, that it means "odd." In the same authority, "odd" is defined as "not usual or ordinary; singular." This definition certainly fits this silver dollar!

What is the value of a one-of-a-kind coin such as this one appears to be? If it is unique, it is more rare than the fabulous 1804 silver dollars. The value of any coin or commodity is measured by the law of supply and demand. The number of collectors of early U.S. silver dollars can never be factually determined but all of them, unquestionably and understandably, would like to have this one in their collections. What is it then worth to them?

In the meantime, for a period of several years, I've had the thrill of my life in owning this singular silver dollar. If others are found, my dream bubble will burst; but regardless of that remote possibility, I have been and am blissfully fortunate to have in my possession this 168 year old, beautiful 1798 silver dollar. Time alone will tell if it really is unique.

Photographs by C. Franklin Homewood.

Select Numismatic Bibliography compiled by Mrs. Elvira Clain-Stefanelli, associate curator of the Smithsonian Institution's numismatic division, is a most useful work. With about 5,000 entries, its more than 400 pages en-

compasses every phase of numismatics. Divided into areas of specialized interest and cross indexed, it offers select references from primitive media of exchange to the latest periodicals. The price is \$12.50. Recommended.

In tendering his resignation from the Association, an Idaho man who had been a member for more than 10 years stated: "I believe we have reached a stand-off. During the years I have been a member, I do not feel the A.N.A. has done a great deal for numismatics, nor have I done anything for the A.N.A."

Report From the Board

The A.N.A. board of governors held meetings in Los Angeles during the convention of the Numismatic Association of Southern California in the Statler Hilton Hotel, Feb. 17-20. All board members were present except Governor Ray Byrne, who was detained by illness. In addition, the following attended at President Rothert's request: Advertising Manager S. W. Freeman, Legal Counsel George D. Hatie, Treasurer Eldridge G. Jones, Acting Executive Secretary Jack R. Koch, and Public Relations Officer Glenn B. Smedley. Board sessions were from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Possibly of greatest interest to members and many other collectors was the action taken regarding establishment of the Association's home and headquarters in Colorado Springs. It will be remembered by many that when a lease was signed last August with Colorado College for the site, the first choice location was not totally available and a lease was signed provisionally. Since then the College has acquired the necessary land to make a firm lease possible for the most desirable site. The board approved the signing of a 99-year lease, with option to renew it for an additional 99 years, at a fee of \$1.00 annually.

Colorado Springs architect Carlisle B. Guy submitted a drawing of the building he has planned for A.N.A., and tentative floor plans for it. The one story building, with about a $\frac{3}{4}$ ths basement, will contain over 9800 square feet of main floor space. His plan is based on a completed building, ready for occupancy but without furnishings, at a cost of less than \$200,000. It will face east on Cascade Street with a small park area on the south end and an area for parking about 15 cars on the north end of the property. Other parking areas are available nearby. The architect stated that the building will be designed to provide for additional space for future expansion.

Approval was given for Guy to proceed with the design and planning of the building and the incorporation of additional ideas presented to him, with a view to submitting a final design and plans. When approved by the building committee, the plans and specifications will be submitted for competitive bidding for construction of the facility. Three or more bids must be considered, and a contract must be approved by

five or more board members before work is started. The goal is to get construction under way by early summer.

Related actions by the board authorized the new building equipment and fixtures committee (S. W. Freeman, chairman) to consider the acceptance of funds for the outfitting of entire rooms or pieces of equipment with due recognition being given to the donors; and authorization to the treasurer to open accounts with two banks in Colorado Springs in the name of the Association. Approval was given for the closing of the Association's agency account with the National Bank of Detroit and for placing the proceeds in the building fund account. The acting executive secretary was instructed to set up a special operations report to show all income and expenditures from the home and headquarters fund.

Changes in the bylaws were approved, in addition to several changes approved at the fall board meeting in Richmond. In general, these changes are in the provisions of article I, sections 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, dealing with the several types of A.N.A. memberships; and in article III, section 3, outlining the procedure to be followed whenever complaints are brought against members. Since these changes are somewhat involved, and other changes have been made subsequent to the last issuance of the bylaws, a complete and up-to-date printing has been made. A copy will be furnished to any member upon request to the A.N.A. Secretary's Office, P.O. Box 16243, Phoenix, Ariz. 85011.

As previously announced, the board considered applications received for the position of editor of *The Numismatist*, and appointed Glenn B. Smedley, who has been serving as assistant to the

editor, as editor effective March 1, 1966. The resignation of Editor Elston G. Bradfield, submitted at the 1965 Houston convention, was accepted "with regret," effective at the above date of March 1. He was appointed editor emeritus in recognition of his faithful and outstanding service in the position for over twelve years.

The board approved the establishment of an "Elston G. Bradfield Award" to the numismatic publication contributing the most each year to the furtherance of the objectives of the Association. The award is to be in the form of a perpetual trophy to be retired to the first publication that receives it three times, after which another trophy will be provided and the award procedure initiated again. Details of the administration of the award will be worked out and announced later.

President Rothert reported that about forty applications were received for the position of executive director of A.N.A., which is to be established as part of the organizational plan adopted in Richmond last fall for the new headquarters. Arrangements have been made and were approved by the board for a professional management counsel to screen these applications and to interview applicants who seem to be qualified and make recommendations to the board.

Robberies and Coin Insurance Committee Chairman Criswell reported progress in drawing up rules and procedures for putting the reward program, previously approved in principle, into effect. He was authorized to make the plan operative as soon as a procedure satisfactory to the legal counsel can be drawn up. The actual \$10,000 previously approved was set aside for this reward fund.

Approval was given to enter into a contract with a publishing firm which has offered to reprint and make available back volumes of *The Numismatist*, the contract to be satisfactory to our legal counsel. The firm will be required to produce reprints of good quality and to pay a royalty to the Association, as its original proposition proposed.

Acting Executive Secretary Koch submitted a proposed form for reporting the Association's operations. This form gives considerable more detailed break-

downs of sources of income and items of expenditure than were shown in recent reports. It was approved and will be put into effect at the start of the next fiscal year, July 1, 1966. The firm of Main Lafrentz & Company was authorized to audit the A.N.A. books for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1966, at a cost not in excess of \$800.

Approval was given of the applications of eleven members to transfer to life memberships. After hearing formal complaints against several A.N.A. members, the board voted to expel five and suspend three of them. The names of these members whose membership status has changed were published in the April issue of *The Numismatist*.

An important and far reaching action was the adoption of a resolution that the A.N.A. gift and bequest committee develop a program, in collaboration with the legal counsel, for establishment of a permanent endowment fund. This will facilitate the receipt of gifts to the Association from members, either for specific purposes or for general use, during their lifetimes or as stipulations in their wills. Details of this plan will be announced at a later date.

Based upon the recommendation of A.N.A. Historian Jack Ogilvie, chairman of the hall of fame committee, the name of the hall was changed to "The Numismatic Hall of Fame, A Shrine of the American Numismatic Association." Setting up this honorary recognition is proceeding carefully with the realization that it will be of the utmost importance as time goes by.

The recently adopted Code of Ethics was ordered printed in a form suitable for framing and display by members, and made available to them at cost from the Phoenix office. Copies are to be provided to the bourse dealers at the Chicago A.N.A. convention for display in their booths.

Actions taken relative to the Association's Diamond Anniversary convention this summer included a decision to invite the Hon. Robert A. Wallace, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and the directors of the three mints on the North American continent — Miss Eva B. Adams of the United States, Mr. N. A. Parker of Canada, and Mr. Carlos T. Martinez of Mexico — to attend the convention with hotel accommodations furnished. From among the applica-

tions of more than 250 dealers for bourse tables at the 1966 convention, the board approved a list of approximately 100. The A.N.A. bourse committee has contacted all applicants and is completing arrangements with those who qualified and were selected.

More remotely related to the convention was the decision to include highlights and articles on the 75-year history of A.N.A. in the August issue

of *The Numismatist*. The magazine committee, headed by Vice President Bergen, and Historian Jack Ogilvie are to work with the editor on this issue.

A number of other subjects were discussed and actions of a more or less routine nature taken. One was approval of a revised operating budget for the remainder of the fiscal year which indicated expected income and expenses to be in close balance.

OMSA 1966 CONVENTION IN CHICAGO

The month of August certainly will be numismatically outstanding, for starting on August 12 numismatists will have an opportunity of examining all facets of the hobby. August 12 marks the opening date of the seventh international convention of the Orders and Medals Society of America. Following this, on August 15, the Professional Numismatists Guild will hold its one day meeting, to be followed immediately by the Diamond Jubilee convention of the American Numismatic Association, August 16-20. In connection with this convention, the Token and Medal Society and the Society of Paper Money Collectors will meet. To the good fortune of collectors and students, these five most important events are being held in the same state, city and hotel.

Chicago's famed Pick-Congress Hotel on Michigan Avenue at Congress Street will be the site where numismatists from all parts of the world and representing every branch of the field will gather for a friendly exchange of material, information and good fellowship. This will be the first time that all five major events—OMSA, PNG, ANA, TAMS and SPMC—have been held in the same location at the same time. It seems needless to say that, with this fivefold feature, space at the Pick-Congress will soon be at a premium. It would therefore be wise for one to make early reservations. A reservation starting with August 12 would afford one the opportunity of being intro-

duced to one of the newer and fast growing branches of numismatics, that of orders, medals, and decorations.

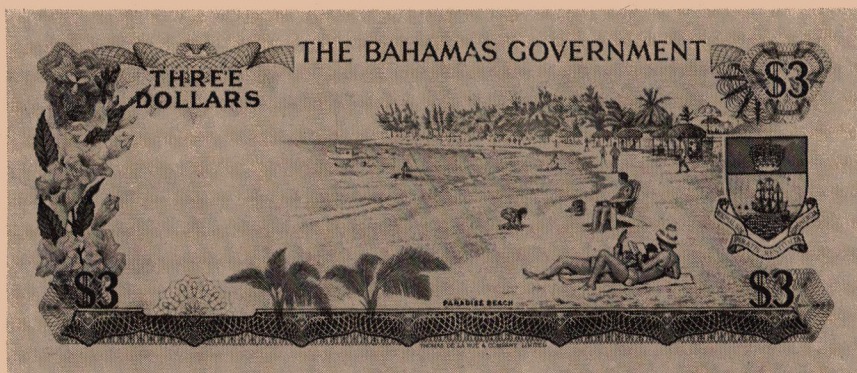
The convention of the Orders and Medals Society of America will be held August 12-14 and will feature many displays and events that will be open to the public. For those not familiar with the Society, a little background information should be of interest. The organization has been in existence for 16 years and has a select international membership specializing in the study and collecting of awards in the form of orders, medals and decorations. One of the many benefits for its members is the monthly magazine, *The Medal Collector*. This, the 7th annual convention, will feature an auction which will be unique in the annals of American numismatic history. It will be an auction limited and entirely devoted to orders, medals, and decorations.

The Orders and Medals Society of America and the Midwestern Orders and Medals Society, convention hosts, extend an invitation to all to attend and learn a bit more about this fascinating facet of numismatics. Further information about OMSA can be obtained from its secretary, James R. Wilkinson, 428 W. Dayton Circle, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. 33312. For additional information about the OMSA convention, please contact the chairman, L. Richard Smith, 2857 N. Western Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60618.

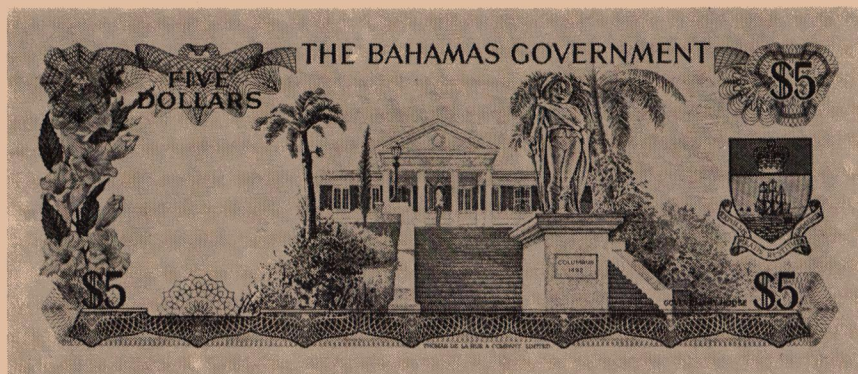
Bahamas Decimal Paper Money

The Bahamas has announced that decimal paper money will be introduced in the island resort colony on May 25. The face of each note will feature a portrait of Queen Elizabeth II and, except for the indication of value, will be the same on all denominations. Each note will have its own distinctive color and a different design on the back. Pictured here are the two sides of the $\$ \frac{1}{2}$ note and the back of the $\$1$ value, the latter being valued at \$0.98 United States and \$1.05 Canadian at present exchange rates.

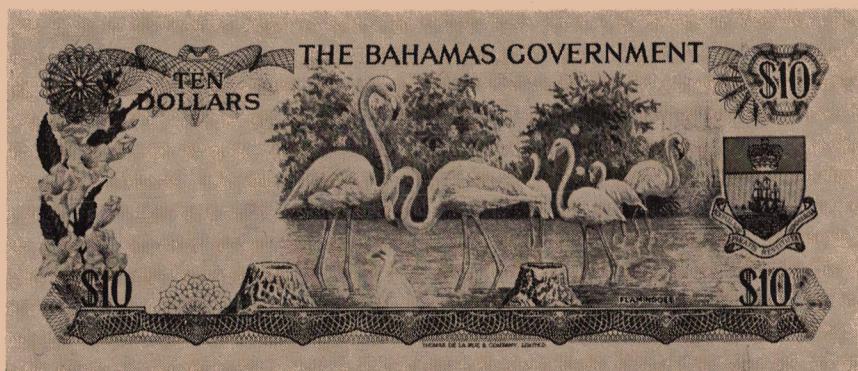




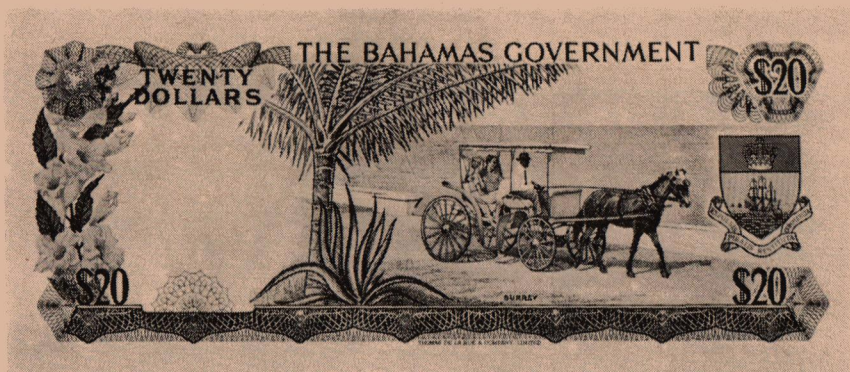
The Bahamian \$3 note will depict the Paradise Beach on its reverse. The new series is being issued as part of the replacement of the pounds and shillings system with decimal denominations.



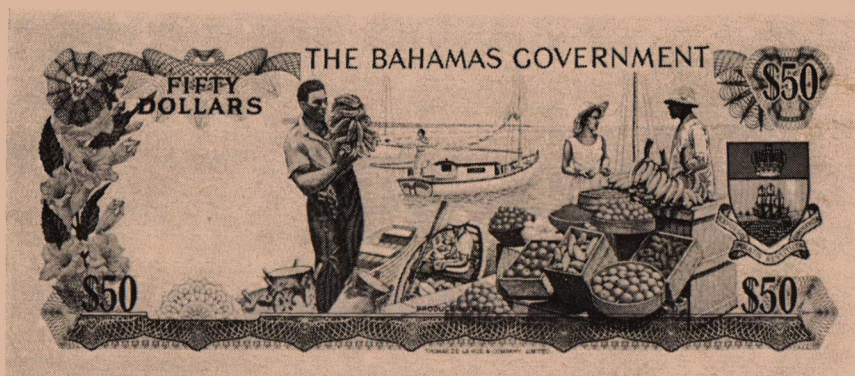
The statue of Columbus and a guard standing before Government House dominate the back of the new \$5 note of the Bahamas. The backs of all notes will be in full color, according to advance announcements.



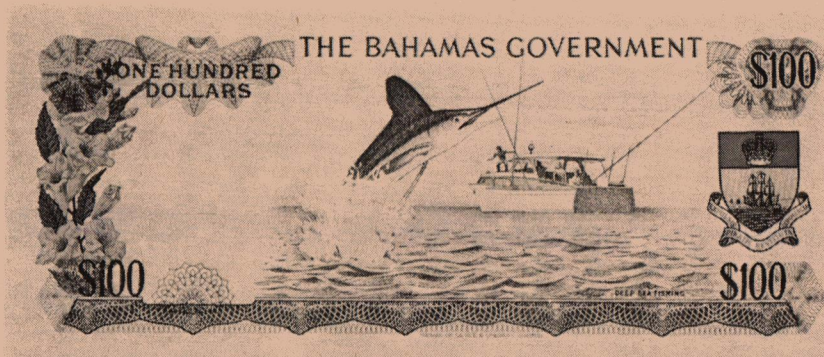
The colorful pink flamingoes of Ardastra Gardens will be depicted on the back of the new \$10 note. Thomas de la Rue and Company of London designed and is printing the series of 8 notes for the Bahamas.



The design of the back of a \$20 note will feature a horse-drawn surrey on a drive along the sea, a familiar sight in the island resort. The new notes are scheduled to go into circulation on May 25.



A local produce market is shown on the back of the \$50 note of the new Bahamian series. This should be one of the most colorful of the series being produced in London by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd.



The \$100 note, highest value in the series, will have a deep sea fishing scene on the back. Coins of the new decimal series were reported in the "New & Recent Issues" section of the April issue of *The Numismatist*. All information, including photos, of this series of notes was supplied by the Bahamas News Bureau.

Notes & Queries

Empire State Convention

The May 20-22 convention of Empire State Numismatic Association, its 32nd semiannual, will be held in the Arlington Hotel in Binghamton, N. Y., and all is in readiness for the usual quality Empire event, according to General Chairman Fred G. Hunter. The Triple Cities Coin Club is the host.

A very special feature of the exhibits will be a large display provided by the American Bank Note Co. on the production of security paper as illustrated



Robert H. Cornall, Jr., Triple Cities charter member and A.N.A. 14220, with poster he has just completed for the ESNA convention.

by stock certificates. It will show original artist's drawings of vignettes, the steel engravings, various stages of proofs, tools used by the engraver, assembly of the several portions, and the final printed certificates. One panel will indicate how experts quickly detect counterfeit work, while others will exhibit other types of the intricate work done by American's skilled craftsmen.

There will be 8 classes of competitive exhibits with awards offered in each. The bourse will be full but limited in number of tables to avoid crowding. French's of Troy, N. Y., will conduct three auction sessions of widely varied material featuring nearly complete collections of fractional currency and colonial paper money. Coins included will feature foreign crowns, proof sets, commemorative silver and gold, and many early individual proofs. The auc-

tions are to be Friday evening and Saturday morning and afternoon.

The ESNA board members will meet Saturday morning for breakfast, and there will be a Saturday evening banquet. A Sunday afternoon educational program will feature Dr. George C. Miles, Chief Curator of American Numismatic Society since 1953. Having spent many years in the near and middle East as an archaeologist, particularly in the Islamic field, Dr. Miles will speak on "A Numismatic Commentary on Some of St. Paul's Travels," using slide illustrations. The program will be conducted by A.N.A. Governor John J. Pittman.

Further information may be obtained from Fred G. Hunter, 67 Broome St., Binghamton, N. Y. 13903.

Forgery Congress Meeting

The permanent commission of the First International Forgery Congress, formed last year in Paris, will meet in New York City on May 20. A.N.A. President Matt Rothert will attend the morning closed committee meeting at the Waldorf Astoria. There will be an afternoon meeting to which the public and the press are invited, reports Hans M. F. Schulman.

COINage Magazine

Publisher Gordon H. Behn of *COINage Magazine* reports the appointment of Lee Martin as advertising director of the year old numismatic magazine. Martin, an A.N.A. member and author of a weekly column in the *Santa Ana Register*, is a familiar figure at coin shows where he interviews dealers and photographs rare coins for his extensive file of such pieces.

Coin Week Wooden Token

In connection with its celebration of National Coin Week, the Newport County Coin Club, Newport, R. I., issued a wooden token for distribution at an open house on April 17. The Old Stone Mill club emblem, representing a historic landmark said to have been built

by early Norse explorers, is depicted on one side. The reverse notes the date of the show and the NCW slogan, "Friendships Flower Through Numismatics." A few of the tokens are laid aside for collectors unable to attend, and may be obtained for 25¢ and a stamped self-addressed envelope sent to Gen. Chm. Ralph S. Jaffe, 433 Thames St., Newport, R.I. 02840. Jaffe is also president of the five year old club which meets the 2nd Tuesday monthly in Middletown, R.I.

From the Editor's Mail

We get a variety of letters; a few are critical, others offer ideas which are impractical to carry out, now and then one points out a published error or misstatement, and many are very helpful ones. We print a few that would seem to be of interest or possible value to readers, but don't have room for all. Our thanks to the many who have written expressions of confidence and good wishes to the new editor. Again we can't print all of them, but felt these had special meanings — GLENN S.

Dear Editor:

It was a real pleasure to read today that you are accepting the difficult job of editor. The A.N.A. is a wonderful organization and serves numismatics well. I particularly enjoy *The Numismatist* and the library, and I appreciate all the unseen values of the A.N.A.

I'm not sure I ever properly thanked you for your help and consideration in publishing my article last year. It has been a source of real pride and pleasure to have had an article published in *The Numismatist*. My best wishes are with you as you take over the reins. — FRANK A. TANNEWITZ JR.

Dear Glenn:

I am pleased to know that you were appointed editor for *The Numismatist*. This is a great honor bestowed upon you, as I consider the office of the editor as one of the most important of all offices in the A.N.A.

I have been an A.N.A. member for well over 36 years, and I knew each editor personally. I am sure that your shoes will fit just fine in the footsteps

of your predecessors. You have my warm congratulations and sincere wishes. If you think I can be of any service to you, please don't hesitate to call upon me. — LOUIS S. WERNER.

Governor Culver on TV

Mrs. Virginia Culver of California, member of the A.N.A. board of governors, participated in a National Broadcasting Company televised educational program. The program was taped in color in January and is making the rounds of the country on local NBC stations which devote time each week to unsponsored educational fea-



Moderator George Lange of NBC and Mrs. Virginia Culver on the television set.

tures. The series is entitled "The Heroic Years," tracing the struggles of our young nation from the landing of the Pilgrims until 1812.

On chapter 14, called "Capitol of the United States," Mrs. Culver discusses with Moderator George Lange the problems the colonists encountered without official money, what was used in lieu of it, early state coinages and why the hobby of numismatics is so appealing today.

Letter From Poland

The following letter, in Polish, was received by the Association and is being published for readers' information. It is suggested that, at the start of any correspondence with persons outside the U.S., references be exchanged by the parties to be involved. — Editor.

I would like to subscribe to your publication, so kindly advise the conditions of the subscription. In view of the fact that I would like to commence

a correspondence with an American numismatist, I am providing you with my address and hoping that you will publish it. I know English and Russian. — TADEUSZ CHOJNACKI, Katowice, ul. Sobieskiego 8, Poland.

Hall of Fame, A.N.A.

The resignation of A.N.A. Past President M. Vernon Sheldon from the Numismatic Hall of Fame committee was accepted regretfully by President Rothert and Chairman Ogilvie. Sheldon, long very active in Association affairs, asked to be relieved of his committee assignments due to ill health.

During the meeting of the board of governors in February in Los Angeles, president and chairman selected Richard S. Yeoman to fill the vacancy created by Sheldon's resignation. Yeoman, with over 25 years of service as an officer and committeeman, will add prestige and knowledge to the committee of this very important A.N.A. shrine.

Board member Virginia Culver has been named to act as liaison between the Hall of Fame committee and the board of governors. The committee and officers want it known that they hope the doctor will give the word soon for Sheldon to renew his Association activities.

More on Lithuanian Medal

Dear Editor Smedley:

All medal collectors owe a debt to Jonas K. Karys, A.N.A. No. 22949, for the information he has provided regarding the medal illustrated on page 303 of the March issue of *The Numismatist*. The caption that I prepared represented a commonly held belief as to the origin of this medal. Reliable information relating to the awards of this area and period is almost nonexistent, thus giving rise to many cases of incorrect identification.

I was delighted to see that an actual recipient of this medal took the time to supply us with the proper information, and to correct this long standing error. The caption should read: "Bronze medal for the Lithuanian Volunteers, 1918-1920. Awarded to those brave men who voluntarily enlisted in the new Lithuanian's army and took part in the

fight for the freedom of that nation."

I'm very sorry that this error was published, but without it appearing in *The Numismatist* the truth might never have come to light. — PHILLIP M. WEBER, OMSA No. 495

New TAMS Address

William B. Spilman has been named acting secretary of the Token and Medal Society, announces President Virginia Culver. This action, effective until a new secretary is named at the annual meeting at the A.N.A. convention in Chicago, was necessitated by the resignation of Robert R. Hailey. The latter, who served since August of 1964, resigned because of his transfer to Cape Kennedy and his inability to continue the work from there. All correspondence pertaining to the secretary of TAMS should be addressed to Spilman, P.O. Box 1122, Waynesboro, Va. 22980.

Mule: Mint or Lathe?

American Numismatic Association
Gentlemen:

I write about the so-called "1916 Australian Halfpenny Mule." This piece was described in *World Coins* last October and again listed as a coin in its Christmas issue.

Many serious coin collectors here regard any such "mules" as a forgery of a coin which was never minted. The Indian quarter anna (George V) is approximately 1/32nd of an inch smaller in diameter than the 1916 Australian halfpenny. It is an easy matter for a skilled workman to turn off the obverse of the halfpenny, leaving a rim 1/64th of an inch thick, and to turn off the reverse of the quarter anna and drop it into the hollow of the altered halfpenny. One such preparation has come into the possession of a friend of mine.

I would point out also that proof restrikes of the 1916 halfpenny are available, and perhaps dies of the quarter anna of the same date are still available. The purpose of this letter is to urge that you advise your members not to purchase this "mule" until it is proved beyond doubt that such a coin was minted. So far, undeniable proof

of this fact has not been demonstrated so far as I know. — DR. C. D. SWAINE, South Australia.

GENA Helps Member Clubs

The Great Eastern Numismatic Association loaned 50 exhibit cases to the Prince Georges County Coin Club for its March 19-20 show at College Park, Md. In addition, GENA Executive Director Samuel Burgdorf, President Buddy Rosenberg and Auction Chairman Jack L. Burman attended the show in their official capacities. GENA supplied a number of exhibits also, consisting of paper money of British possessions, the complete monetary system of Ghana, plus one frame of Japanese momme money.

Cases are available to all GENA member clubs to help them produce, manage and direct their various club shows. All clubs interested in borrowing cases should contact Secretary Joan Brand, c/o GENA, P.O. Box 4831 Frankford Sta., Philadelphia, Pa. 19124.

Shop Talk

United States paper money, one of the more colorful and interesting series among numismatic pursuits, is offered in a new fixed price list released by A. Kosoff, Inc., P.O. Box 456, Encino, Calif. 91317. The list includes many rare notes which are seldom offered, as well as National Bank notes, gold certificates, uncut sheets, etc., in exceptionally fine condition. "During the past decade there have been no large collections of U.S. paper money on the market, with the exception of the George Walton collection which was sold in 1963," said Kosoff. He anticipates a brisk response to the new listing, which is available without charge upon request.

Paramount International Coin Corp. announced that its business and that of its divisions (Empire Coin Co., World Numismatiques, and Windsor Research Publications) are to be located in new premises in Dayton as of April 18. The new offices will be in Dayton's newly opened Buckingham Square Office Park, a beautifully landscaped nine acre fa-

cility at 5055 North Main St., Dayton, Ohio 45415. Officers of Paramount invite collectors to visit the new offices but to telephone in advance if possible (area 513, 278-9611), especially if they want to see coins for sale which are kept in a bank's vault that is not on the premises. Business hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. five days a week.

Dealer Myles Brown reports having a uniface 1942 half dollar which has been authenticated by Walter Breen as a genuine mint product. It is, says Breen, of normal weight and the obverse impression is of more than usual clarity. His explanation is that the



piece resulted from two blanks being fed into a press together, both being well seated and this one having proper reeding from the collar. The misstruck coin was paid out to a laborer in Boston in the year of striking and held by him until early 1966 when it was sold to a Boston dealer, thence to Brown in Vermont. All of this and much more information is contained in Breen's report to Brown.

Coming Conventions

Several state and regional numismatic organizations have made brief announcements of conventions to be held later this year, among which are the following. Watch the "Calendar" in each issue for these and others.

The Blue Ridge Numismatic Association has plans made for its 7th annual convention June 16-19 in Knoxville, Tenn. Paul Garland is serving as general chairman.

The Western Kentucky Coin Club will be host to the 6th annual Kentucky State Numismatic Association convention Aug. 26-28 at the Jaycee Civic Center in Paducah. For bourse tables at \$35 contact Lee Schroeder,

1100 Jefferson St., Paducah, Ky. 42001. Exhibits are being arranged by Mrs. Charles Hoskins, Jr., P.O. Box 368, Paducah, Ky. 42001.

Secretary Joan Brand advises that the Great Eastern Numismatic Association will hold its 4th annual convention at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York City Dec. 8-11. She may be contacted at P.O. Box 4831, Philadelphia, Pa. 19124.

New Book Series

Gordon and Breach Science Publishers of New York City announce the forthcoming publication of a new series entitled *The Numismatic Bookshelf*, under the general editorship of Elliott W. Montroll and Rudolph Zander. The series will make available rare out of print and original works on the many aspects of coin and medal collecting through the ages, including reprints of classic foreign treatises, collections of inaccessible journal articles, American titles, etc.

Scheduled for early release will be *Modern Copper Coins of the Muhammadan States* by W. H. Valentine, 1911; *Catalogue Descriptif des Monnaies Obsidionales et de Necessite* by Prosper Mailliet, 1870; and *Atlas des Monnaies Obsidionales et de Necessite* by Mailliet, 1868. All volumes will appear both in low priced paperback and hardcover reference editions.

Commemorative Irish Coin

The fiftieth anniversary of the 1916 Rising of Easter Week will be observed by the issuance of a commemorative ten shilling coin, reports the Central Bank of Ireland. The silver coin is being struck in the London Royal Mint from designs modelled by T. H. Paget, O.B.E., and approved by the Minister of Finance. A contemporary portrait of P. H. Pearse will dominate the obverse, with a design of the sculpture of the legendary Irish hero Cuchulainn and the value on the reverse. Around the edge in incised characters will be EIRI AMACH NA CASCA 1916.

Initially 2 million pieces will be available, and 20,000 proofs will be struck. Prices for the piece, including surface mail postage, will be \$1.80 in the United States and \$1.95 in Canada; proofs will

be \$4.60 and \$5.00, resp. Orders will be limited to 1000 regular issue and 10 proofs per person, with delivery to be made as soon as possible after April 12. Applications may be sent to the Secretary, Central Bank of Ireland, Dublin 2, Ireland.

NASC Convention Report

In spite of the flu scare and the absence of Miss Eva Adams, who was detained in Washington for important budget meetings, the 11th annual convention of the Numismatic Association of Southern California was most successful. President Murray Singer re-



Newly elected NASC officers, l. to r., seated, Governor Jim Betton; Vice President Foster Hall; Recording Secretary Ann Hall; President Walter Snyder; Corresponding Secretary Peggy Borgolte; President Elect Edwin Borgolte. Standing, Governors Maurice Jensen, Dick Goodson, George Bennett, C. R. Young, Jack Ogilvie and Murray Singer. Not in picture: Treasurer Ethel Lenhardt, and Historian Thelma M. Case. (Photos by Sid Marks)

ported close to 4,000 persons visited the bourse and nearly as many saw the exhibits at the Statler Hilton Hotel in Los Angeles on February 17-20. Display Chairman Jim Betton said the turn out of exhibits was unquestionably the best in the Association's history, both in quantity and quality. In all, there were 73 competitive, 3 junior, 4 noncompetitive and 5 invitational exhibits; besides which lack of space required the turning away of 30 applications.

Most of the bourse dealers interviewed seem to feel that the hobby is returning to the collectors, which is a healthy sign for the future of numismatics. Noticeably missing were the speculators wanting coins by the bag. The three-session auction, conducted by

Mike Kliman and Steve Kosoff of Numismatic Enterprises saw some record prices bid on the floor, with type coins being in greatest demand both in the auction and in the bourse.

The Saturday evening banquet, at which A.N.A. President Matt Rothert was the guest speaker, drew a record crowd of 316 enthusiasts. Exhibit award winners were announced and the newly elected NASC officers installed, with Rothert doing the honors, as follows: President Walter Snyder; President-Elect Edwin Borgolte; Vice President Foster Hall; Treasurer Ethel Lenhardt; Recording Secretary Ann M. Hall; Corresponding Secretary Peggy Borgolte; Historian Thelma M. Case; and



NASC exhibit award winners, l. to r., Mort Goodman, Thelma Case, Max Werdetz, Velma Reinoehl, Lawrence E. Morton (Best of Show), Ernest A. Meyer, Gordon Z. Greene, and Mel Kohl. (Photos by Sid Marks)

Governors George Bennett, Jim Betton, Dick Goodson, Maurice Jensen, Jack Ogilvie, Murray Singer and C. R. Young.

Exhibit awards went to the following: U.S. coins — Velma Reinoehl, 1st, George D. Hatie, 2nd, and Vena W. Crow, 3rd; gold coins — Ernest A. Meyer, Melvin J. Kohl and Alvin Van Loan Gaines; ancient coins — Robert P. Gildred, Joseph Goodyear and Alvin Van Loan Gaines; medieval coins — William D. Koonce and Vic Kozik; modern foreign coins — Lawrence E. Morton, Sally Marx and Esther Taller; U.S. paper money — Gordon Z. Greene, George D. Hatie and R. B. Carter; foreign paper money — Thelma Case and William D. Koonce; orders and decorations — William D. Koonce; medals and medallion art — Melvin J. Kohl, Vic Kozik and Norma L. Calkins; specialized — Mort Goodman, Linda Kay Kay and Carolyn Nestruck; club displays — Society for International Numismatics, Israel Coin Club and Southern

California Ancient Numismatic Society; odd, curious and unusual media — Alvin Van Loan Gaines (1st and 2nd) and Sally Marx; professional — Joel Malter, Irma Bass and Frank Roza, Jr.

Lawrence E. Morton of Santa Monica took top honors with his display of coins from Cuba, which was judged best-in-show. Invitational exhibits included a 1943 bronze cent by John Marquardt, counterstamped coins by Jack B. Nestle, a 1913 liberty nickel by J. V. McDermott, Pan Pacific set no. 1 by Bob Johnson, and a U.S. gold type set by Ronnie Carr.

New PNG Members

Ten professional numismatists were elected to membership recently in the Professional Numismatists Guild, according to word from Dan Messer of New York City, membership chairman. The ten are Royce Brown of Oklahoma City, Davis H. Carr of Nashville, David Derzon of Milwaukee, George Fonda of New York City, Jackie D. Hazelwood of Wichita, Jack L. Klausen of Kansas City, Kans., William T. Louth of New York City, Gordon Medcalf of Honolulu, Edwin B. Strauss of Chicago, and Robert M. Ullrich of Dayton. Professional numismatists who would like to join the Guild should send an inquiry to Executive Secretary Max M. Schwartz, 28 West 44th St., Rm. 421, New York, N. Y. 10036.

New Medals Available

Federal Brand Enterprises recently announced the Thomas and Martha Jefferson medal, no. 11 in its President-First Lady series. The President and Mrs. Jefferson are shown on the obverse, with a map of the Louisiana Purchase inscribed on the reverse. It pays tribute also to Jefferson as author of the Declaration of Independence. No. 12 in the series honors James and Eliza Kortwright Monroe. Each is available in bronze at \$1.00 and in .900 fine silver at \$2.50 from Federal Brand Enterprises, 4263 Pearl Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44109.

North Carolina Convention

The North Carolina Coin Clubs Association will hold its 8th annual

convention October 7-9 at the War Memorial Town Hall in Greensboro. Members of the Greensboro Coin Club, host to the state convention, recently elected James W. Jackson, Jr., to serve as general chairman. An educational program is planned for Thursday evening preceding the formal opening of the three-day event, with outstanding speakers. Among the many features planned for visitors are competitive exhibits and a bourse of 40 dealers. Free parking spaces and motels nearby can accommodate all who may attend. Bourse chairman is Ted Hendrick, P. O. Box 12052, Raleigh, N. C. 27605.

Roving Numismatists

Word received close to press time revealed that A.N.A. Past President Oscar Dodson and Polly stopped in Hawaii on the first leg of a round-the-world trip. A photo accompanied the message showing a winsome Island maid greeting the Admiral at the Honolulu airport, but the bright sunshine (or a flash bulb) and the radiance of his face made the picture unsuited for publication. On March 9 Dodson spoke before the Honolulu Coin Club, and on the 15th he gave a talk at a special meeting of the Barbers Point Coin Club.

Plans called for the Dodsons to leave Hawaii about the end of March and stop in Japan where they were scheduled to visit the money museum in the Tokai Bank in Nagoya and the mint in Osaka; visit friends in Taiwan and in Manila; research for future articles on far eastern numismatics in Hong Kong; visit museums in India and look in on recent archaeological excavations near Teheran and other places. They naturally look forward to renewing friendships among numismatists in Greece, where Oscar and Polly resided for two years while he was on Navy duty.

They will then visit in Italy, view and study notable numismatic collections in Vienna, Copenhagen, Stockholm and London. A scheduled London to Chicago flight will get them back in time to attend the law school graduation of their son John D. at the University of Illinois in Urbana on June 18. Finally, the Dodsons reveal that their future home will be in Urbana, where

he held the position of assistant professor of history for several years before accepting the post of curator of the money museum of the National Bank of Detroit.

Numismatic Lecture

David Ray Arnold, Jr., A.N.A. 45479, reports on the first of a series of numismatic lectures announced in March issue of *The Numismatist*.

On March 10 Charles M. Johnson, a governor of the A.N.A., delivered the first of four lectures comprising an "Introduction to Numismatics" presented under the auspices of the Long Beach City College. This was the first time that sponsorship at college level of a purely numismatic subject was seen in the Southern California area. Attendance was gratifying, with listeners almost filling the Boyd High School auditorium.

Johnson's enthusiastic talk was entitled "The Story of Money." It was constructed for those not familiar with the subject, yet fascinating anecdotes enabled Johnson to hold the attention of even seasoned numismatists. The origins of money from the time of the Lydians were reviewed, and followed on through the centuries. A reference to coinage debasement drew laughter from an audience obviously attuned to current events. Slides were used in the second half of the presentation, many of which appeared to be of items in Johnson's own collection. One case of choice and varied material was on display, the components tastefully selected for general interest.

A brief question period followed the talk, and it was curious to note particular interest in the economic aspect of money. Questions and comments seemed inclined to dwell on the implications of contemporary changes in our American coins and paper money. Local newspapers and libraries provided notice of the four weekly events, and interested persons were invited to attend the sessions without charge or advance arrangements.

Stone Bridge Medals

Several limited strikings of medals memorializing stone arch bridges in

Washington County, Md., have been or will be issued, according to word from Ken Mayes, 1800 Virginia Ave., Hagerstown, Md. 21740. Prices of the copper pieces, slightly larger than a half dollar, vary, so those interested should write for further information. Mayes indicates that he is TAMS member 1356, but does not specify membership in A.N.A.

Washington Masonic Medal

Gilroy Roberts, internationally renowned sculptor who designed the Kennedy half dollar for the United States



Gilroy Roberts

Mint, has accepted a commission to design the first medal of the International Fraternal Commemorative Society. A non-profit organization formed by a group of Midwestern Masons, the IFCS will issue a bimonthly series of sterling silver proof medals honoring famous members of the

Masonic order. These medals, to be made available to members only, will be slightly larger than a silver dollar and will be serially numbered on their edges with each member's membership number.

The initial medal, honoring George Washington, will feature Roberts' bust of Washington on the obverse and Masonic symbols on the reverse. After one medal is struck for each charter member of the Society, the dies will be defaced permanently. Charter membership in the Society, available until April 30 at a special \$10 rate, will be raised then to \$15 until membership rolls close permanently on June 30, 1966. Persons desiring to enroll should remit the membership fee plus \$6.90 for the George Washington medal to the Society, 4312 Hopkins Road, Youngstown, Ohio. (Gilroy Roberts photo by Fabian Bachrach)

CNA 13th Convention

The Canadian Numismatic Association annual convention is to be held in the New Marlborough Hotel, Winnipeg, Manitoba, August 25-27. A lot of work

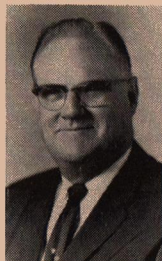
is being done to make this convention as successful as previous ones held by CNA, reports Nick Gerbinski for General Chairman A. Stern and his committeemen. The registration fee of \$10 will include admittance to the three-day event, a handsome medal depicting western history pertaining to Manitoba, the banquet, and tours of the City and points of interest outside.

A floor plan showing the display and bourse areas has been prepared and will be sent to each dealer who indicates that he will take a bourse table. The plan calls for 70 bourse tables and at least 85 display tables. The bourse fee is \$65 and will include the registration package; one bourse table; one display case; and a dealer's sign. Dealers are requested to bring their own table lamps where possible, but lamps will be supplied if requested.

Correspondence regarding bourse space should be addressed to Bourse Chm. S. Lipski, 302 Notre Dame Ave., Winnipeg 2, Manitoba. For display space, contact Display Chm. Jack Lowe, 445 St. Mary's Road, Winnipeg 8, Manitoba. Publicity Chm. Nick Gerbinski reminds collectors in the States that this convention is on the weekend following the A.N.A. in Chicago, and that it takes only an hour and a half to get from Chicago to Winnipeg by air.

Alabama Convention in July

With the Birmingham Coin Club as host, the Alabama Numismatic Society will hold its 6th annual convention in



Dr. Downing

Hotel Thomas Jefferson in downtown Birmingham July 20-23. Mrs. Purnie E. Moore, general chairman, promises that emphasis will be on numismatic education through outstanding exhibits and a program to include some of the nation's most distinguished numismatic authorities.

A.N.A. President Matt H. Rothert will speak at the Wednesday evening educational program on the history and organization of A.N.A. as viewed in its Diamond Anniversary. A reception will follow for dignitaries and out of town

guests, at which Society President Fred M. Downing is expected. The second portion of the program will be on Thursday evening for the benefit of the junior collectors who want proper guidance and instruction in numismatics.

Those attending will find an extensive bourse; the Saturday evening banquet with Hon. Calvin Johnson, one of America's outstanding speakers; and an air of friendliness and fellowship throughout the four days. A business meeting is scheduled at which new ANS officers will be elected.

Bourse Chairman Hubert Norris may be contacted at P.O. Box 3172, Birmingham, Ala. 35222. Exhibit Chairman E. R. Skelton will be pleased to hear from prospective exhibitors promptly at 413 N. 19th St., Birmingham, Ala. 35203. Registration, which will be free, will be headed by Charlie and Mrs. Brock.

For copies of the convention program or other information, please write to Mrs. Purnie E. Moore, P.O. Box 3601, West End Sta., Birmingham, Ala. 35211.

Panama Proof Sets

The Republic of Panama will issue proof sets of six coins dated 1966, and also in succeeding years, reports Paramount International Coin Corp. which has been appointed world-wide distributor. The coins will meet the standards required of proofs by the hobby, says Paramount, and will be packaged similar to U.S. proof sets. The price of the new sets was not stated, but the quantity to be minted will depend upon advance orders received by Paramount prior to July 31, after which no further orders are to be accepted. Inquiries and orders, limited to 25 sets, should be sent to Paramount at 5055 N. Main St., Dayton, Ohio 45415.

Book Reviews

Pour le Merite und Tapferkeitsmedaille by Dr. K. G. Klietmann. Die Ordenssammlung, Berlin, 1966. 104 pp., 321 illus., card covers, \$5.00.

This book, a must purchase for all collectors of European military awards, is essentially an improved, better illustrated edition of the author's earlier work, *Für Tapferkeit und Verdienst*, covering the awards of Germany and her allies during the two World Wars. The book has been prepared with the author's usual meticulous care and that in itself indicates the caliber of the work. Included are brief notes (date of founding, classes, etc.) on the awards for service, with emphasis on those for valour and achievement, issued by the German States, the German Reich (Imperial, Republican, and "Third"), Bulgaria, Finland, Italy, Japan, the Austro-Hungarian Empire, Republican Austria, Hungary, Turkish Empire, Roumania, and Spain (Russian campaign). The awards of the puppet states of Slovakia

and Croatia are also included. The medal illustrations, although usually only of the obverse face, are excellent.

The reviewer has only two criticisms (really laments) in that a ribbon chart in color was not included (this is the principal omission in far too many texts on military awards in recent years), and that the author did not review the present denazified versions of the Federal German Republic of 1939-1945 awards. It also would have been valuable if he had discussed the "unofficial" World War I awards such as the Argonnenkreuz and the Langemarck-Kreuz in detail since information on these discarded issues is almost nonexistent in English. The text is in German but is easy to read with a dictionary once one has become acquainted with German "award" terminology. The book is recommended for the libraries of the medal collector and individuals interested in military memorabilia of the disasters of 1914-1918 and 1939-1945. — J. F. LHOTKA

Never leave valuable numismatic items in an unattended home or car.

Jokla – Navaho Earrings

By

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PROBABLY the least researched and most misrepresented field of numismatics today is "Odd and Curious Money." This article discusses the research into one item of this category of numismatics.

Most odd and curious money is really "primitive money" used by people (but not necessarily primitive people) all over the world before they came to possess money as we know it today. Mrs. Quiggin, in her book *Primitive Money*, devotes the entire first chapter to defining "money," indicating that such a task is beyond the scope of this short essay, except to say that the phrase "primitive money" has been used to cover a fantastic variety of different items.

Probably the most widely used type of "primitive money" is the simple bead, whether it is made from shells, stones, bones, clay, semi-precious stones, metals, glass or other materials; or whether it came from ancient Egypt or modern Czechoslovakia; or whether it is unstrung, strung, or woven. Great quantities of beads are still worn by all semi-civilized people who frequently use them as money. Our best known bead money is wampum, the name for strings or woven strips of shell money once produced by the Indians who inhabited our East Coast.

This article is devoted to discussion of turquoise bead earrings which continue to be used as money, even today, by the Southwest Indians. These Indians occupy an area which is basically Arizona and New Mexico. About 500 B.C., when this area was inhabited by stone age Americans called the "Basket Makers," new tribes from much farther south moved into the area and settled peacefully with the basket makers. Among the many new ideas and crafts which the southerners brought with them was the ability to make jewelry of shell, bone and turquoise.

Because of the attacks by primitive savage tribesmen from the north and east, these peaceful farmers and crafts-

men of the Southwest began moving into caves up in the steep walls of canyon cliffs and started to build new homes. These cliff dwellers built their finest homes between 900 A.D. and 1250 A.D.

Although most of the time the cliff dwellers were forced to fight wild outsiders, there were opportunities for peaceful trading. They traded their turquoise for copper bells and macaw feathers from faraway Mexico, and they traded their pottery for shells from the Pacific Coast.

When the Spaniards marched from Mexico into the Southwest in 1540, they found a farming people living in towns and villages as compact as European medieval towns; organized under a strong democratic government; with people dressed in garments of cotton and skins and adorned with shell and turquoise. They call these tribes "Pueblos" which is a Spanish word meaning "village" or "town." The men farmed, hunted, wove, embroidered and made jewelry of shell, turquoise and bright stone. The women did a great deal of the home building, all the plastering, cooked and made pottery and basketry.

The Navahos are one of the tribes descended from poor nomads who drifted down from the north and raided the Pueblos. In the process, they traded and learned much from the Pueblo people, and over the centuries they have become peaceful farmers settled in Arizona and New Mexico just to the north of the Pueblo Indians.

Very important to the individual Navaho is his "jokla" (or jockla, pronounced "zha-kla") which is the Navaho word for earrings. They are double loops of turquoise beads which look like a small necklace or a large bracelet. The loop is generally about five to six inches long. They are made up of small cylindrical turquoise beads graduated in size from small beads at the top to large beads at the bottom. The very bottom beads are usually pie-

shaped white shell beads or jet (fossil coal) which form a bottom radius of 180 degrees and force the sides to hang close together. The very top few beads are also generally made of some material other than turquoise, such as trade beads or even coral. This basic form is traditional and doesn't change.

Turquoise has always been highly prized by desert people going back eighty centuries. Extensive ancient mines on the Sinai Peninsula of Egypt were once worked with flint instruments and are considered to be the first important hard-rock mining operations of any kind. There are relics of extensive prehistoric workings at Los Cerillos near Santa Fe, New Mexico, where turquoise is still mined. Turquoise is found chiefly in arid regions, generally in fractured volcanic and sedimentary rocks. In the United States this is primarily New Mexico, Arizona and some neighboring areas which is the present and ancient home of the Southwest Indians.

Turquoise is wearable wealth which has value in itself. It is quoted from \$4 to \$10 per ounce in the southwest in the rough, before any work has been done.

Turquoise used to be mined in New Mexico by native Indians who sold or bartered it to other Indians for manufacture into various forms of jewelry. Like other precious and semi-precious stones or like jewelry (wearable wealth), it has money value as a medium of exchange. This is quite common in the history of "primitive money." Today turquoise is generally found as a result of copper mining activities and is seldom used as an item of barter. Turquoise has been found in the prehistoric burial grounds of southern Ohio, which is an indication of how far it traveled in trade long before the white man came to this country.

The jokla is used by the Navaho as a form of money as security at the trading post for supplies and is redeemed by money received when lambs are sold. The owners frequently borrow their possessions back for a day or so to take part in one of their ceremonies or dances which is about the only time they are worn as earrings. Today they are generally worn at the

bottom of a shell necklace.

These turquoise beads have much more value to the Navahos than their normal monetary value, and they are not generally available for sale. Sometimes they will not be redeemed because of the death of the owner and will be sold. Other times the owner will make the mistake of using them for security at a pawn shop in one of the cities and if not redeemed promptly, they are sold. At the trading post they will be held until the owner can redeem them.

About one out of every two current pictures of a Navaho will show him wearing jokla. Recent pictures of Mrs. Anna Wauneka, delegate to the Navaho Tribal Council, and Scott Preston, vice chairman of the Council, show them wearing the beads. Preston is otherwise wearing a conventional business suit complete with fountain pen and eye glasses as a modern Navaho leader.

Although they have become the foremost silverworking craftsmen in the southwest, making liberal use of turquoise, the Navahos do not generally make the jokla. Making ornaments of shell and turquoise is an ancient Pueblo craft, and they generally manufacture this type of jewelry for trade with the Navahos. Much of it seems to have been made by the Santo Domingo Pueblo.

To summarize, we have three different situations where turquoise has been used as a form of money by the Southwest Indians:

1. For centuries (back at least to 500 B.C.) turquoise was mined in the southwest and used for trade by the Indians. This trade ceased with the advent of modern mining operations.

2. Pueblo beadwork goes back to 500 A.D., at least, and was probably first traded to the Navahos about 1500 A.D. when they migrated to the southwest. This trade continues today.

3. Finally, there is today what can be called a "banking" operation between the Navaho and the trading posts or pawn shops. The jokla is used in some cases as a security for a loan, and in other cases it is "pawned" as a method of obtaining safe storage of valuable possessions — a unique safe deposit box.

Since it is not possible to illustrate this article with suitable pictures of the jokla, reference is made to two books, available at any library, which contain excellent color photographs of the Navahos wearing them. The first is volume 8 of the *Britannica Junior* which covers letters I to J, 1956 edition, published by Britannica, Inc. In this edition on plate 4, Indians, American, between pages 54 and 55, are three different pictures showing the green jokla worn at the end of a shell necklace by all of the five different Navahos who are facing the camera. These pictures may be in different locations in other editions of this encyclopedia. For example, they are between pages 66 and 67 of the 1962 edition.

The other book is *The American Indian* by Oliver La Farge. There are two different editions of this book, and the one with the color pictures is a special edition for young readers published by Golden Press, New York (1960), Library of Congress catalog card number 60-14881. On page 98 are numerous items of jewelry identified as being of Navaho manufacture. On the left of the bottom picture is a shell necklace with the jokla hanging from the bottom. Although this is incorrectly identified as to the manufacture, it is an excellent close-up color photograph. On the next page, in the caption for the top picture, is a statement which more accurately identifies the necklace on the preceding page as "probably being of Pueblo manufacture."

On page 108 is a color photograph of a woman weaving and she appears to be wearing the jokla in the old fashioned way as earrings, although the quality of the picture is such that it is hard to tell. The other woman who is minding the baby seems to be wearing her jokla attached to the bottom of a necklace. On page 203 is

a picture of a section of a trading post where dozens of jokla hang attached to other jewelry waiting to be redeemed by the Indians who pawned them.

Finding any reference material on this subject has been impossible. Although La Farge's book has four different color pictures of the jokla, not one word is found in the entire book about them nor in the original larger edition of La Farge's book titled *A Pictorial History of the American Indian* published by Crown Publishers, New York (1956), Library of Congress catalog card number 56-11375. There is one small reference in both books to some members of the Navaho Tribal Council as "men with turquoise in their ears," but this is not a clear reference to jokla.

The only other references are *Southern Indian Arts and Crafts* by Tom Bahti, K C Publications, 1964, Flagstaff, Ariz., and the *Aboriginal Use of Turquoise in North America* by Joseph E. Prague, American anthropologist, volume 14, pages 437-466, 1912. This last reference attributes a double loop of turquoise beads to the Zuni Indians. Actually the Zuni, a Pueblo tribe, are well known as manufacturers of shell necklaces and probably manufactured jokla, but there is some doubt that they have worn them as extensively, or in the same form as the Navaho.

The following were very helpful: William J. Judge, acting curator of the Museum of Anthropology of the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque; Rex Arrowsmith, a Santa Fe, New Mexico geologist, and Robert McNamara of Cleveland, Ohio, who has studied the use of turquoise as a medium of exchange in several trips through Western Reservations. Despite this help, credit for any errors belongs to the author.

CORRECTION. "In looking over the text on the Mozart medal I sent you," says A. A. Freiwah, "I just noticed an error which I typed out. Please don't ask me how I made this mistake . . . This medal was brought out to commemorate the 200th year of the birth, not death, of the musician. Actually the medal should have been issued 10 years ago but it was brought out this year thus giving the occasion the latest round figure — 200th year and not 210th year." (See page 34, January, 1966 *Numismatist*.)

A.N.A. Headquarters Plans



Colorado Springs architect Carlisle B. Guy submitted an exterior drawing of the new home and headquarters for the American Numismatic Association, and preliminary interior floor plans, to the board of governors at its February meeting in Los Angeles. Based on discussions then and with the building committee since, Guy has incorporated suggestions and revised the floor plans, which are still under study by the board.

The headquarters will be situated on Cascade Avenue in Colorado Springs in a cultural area adjacent to Colorado College and the Community Art Center. Pikes Peak and the green mountains of Colorado will serve as a background. Nearby are the U.S. Air Force Academy, the U.S. Denver Mint, and North America Air Defense Command (NORAD). The building will be only a few blocks from the business district of the fine and growing city.

The building will be a modern structure of reinforced concrete and steel frame, with a clean and simple yet majestic facade which employs the basic structural members as its main architectural features. The garden entrance and slightly raised domed foyer combined with the facade provides perspective and dignity to the structure. It will be approximately 100 feet wide by 100 feet deep and located on property with a street frontage of 170 feet and a depth of 160 feet. A parking area for 15 cars will be available at the north end, and space is reserved for future expansion.

Access to the building itself is by way of the main entrance through an inner court and garden area. Inside, the visitor is welcomed into a circular foyer, symbolic of a coin, with a foun-

tain in the center and a specially designed and lighted ceiling. Business offices, a money museum, the library, work rooms and other facilities are located conveniently throughout the building for the Association's present and future activities. A centrally located stairway leads to a basement, approximately 75 by 100 feet, under the rear portion of the building. It will house heating, air conditioning and other building equipment, in addition to Association activities not yet scheduled definitely.

Planning and designing the new headquarters was authorized by the A.N.A. board during the 1965 Houston convention. Grover Criswell and William Henderson, with Charles Johnson as chairman, were named as a building committee. This committee received the help and suggestions of officers and many members of the Association, and several studies were made of the office, activity and working space requirements for the functions, operations and future needs of A.N.A. These studies are being used by the architect in planning and designing the headquarters, a job that is still underway, for which ground breaking is scheduled this summer.

Every effort has been made to pro-

vide for future needs and growth of the Association. Most interior walls can be moved or rearranged to suit changing requirements. Under floor ducts in certain areas will distribute electric and telephone lines to permit outlets at any position. The building has been designed so that an addition may be built at a minimum cost.

During the past 18 months the Association has conducted a successful fund raising drive to provide \$250,000 for this project, and is now within about \$25,000 of its goal. It is estimated that the new building will cost approximately \$200,000, including site development, construction costs and architectural fees. Remaining funds will be necessary for fixtures, furnishings, moving, setup and miscellaneous

costs.

Contributions are still being received, and encouraged, from members and friends of the Association. In addition to 4 benefactors, 26 patrons, and 51 clubs in the "250-Clubs" class, about 2800 other contributors are entered in the A.N.A. "Book of Honored Donors," to be displayed with a suitable plaque in the new building as a record and memorial to those who made it possible. Those who have not yet given their help toward this needed facility should send a check promptly to Acting Executive Secretary Jack R. Koch, P. O. Box 16243, Phoenix, Ariz. 85011. Names of all contributors of \$10 or more are recorded and published, and a certificate of appreciation goes to those giving \$100 or more.

Obituaries

Leander McCormick-Goodhart A.N.A. No. 2566

Leander McCormick-Goodhart of Alexandria, Va., died December 15, 1965 after a heart attack. Born in 1884 in London of an American mother and English father, he was educated at Eton and Oxford and spoke seven languages. He came to America in 1921 as a staff member of the British Embassy. A highly cultured man, McCormick-Goodhart's interests ranged from poetry, painting and music to history, nature studies, sports and numismatics. He served in official capacities in numerous societies and associations which pertained to his special interests.

Numismatically, he enrolled in the A.N.A. as number 2566 in October 1923. He entered the A.N.S. in 1938 and became a Fellow in 1939. He remained a member of both until his demise, and received the A.N.A. 25 year continuous Membership Award in 1949. His specialties were medals of Shakespeare and Admiral Vernon, and his collection of metal sculptures of Shakespeare was one of the finest in the world. He possessed 255 varieties out of a positively

known total of 270 medals of Admiral Vernon, many of which were unique. The Vernon medals have been presented to various organizations and museums.

Leander McCormick-Goodhart truly appreciated the art and science of numismatics. Surviving are his wife, two sons and two daughters. — JWO.

Mrs. Robert P. Hall A.N.A. No. A53805

Mrs. Dorothy Hall of Austin, Texas, died suddenly on December 11, 1965. She is survived by her husband, Robert P. Hall, A.N.A. No. 30786, and sons Howard H., A.N.A. No. 55833, of Austin and Robert P. Jr., of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Hall was well known in the southwest among collectors and dealers alike, at one time or another having been a member of coin clubs in Waco, Temple, Dallas and Austin, and a charter member of Texas Numismatic Association. She attended many coin shows and conventions, including the A.N.A. 1965 convention in Houston, and had made plans to attend the 1966 convention in Chicago. She started exhibit-

ing in 1965 and took three awards out of four entries. Coin collecting had a great part in her life the past ten years.

Mrs. Hall collaborated with her husband on coin articles published in the *Marlin Democrat* and the *Austin American Statesman*. She will be missed greatly in coin circles as well as by her family. — RPH

Mrs. Verne R. Walrafen

A.N.A. No. A45150

Mrs. Barbara C. Walrafen died on

March 10 at the Letterman General Hospital in San Francisco due to complications following open heart surgery. She was 28 years old on the day of her operation. Prior to the operation, she arranged to donate her eyes to the eye bank so that another might see and enjoy interests as she enjoyed her coin collecting. Survivors include her husband, LTJG Verne R. Walrafen, A.N.A. No. 43911, of Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. — VRW

Domestic Coinage Executed During February, 1966

Denomination	Total Value	Total Pieces
SUBSIDIARY		
Half dollars	\$ 7,299,000.00	14,598,000
Quarter dollars	34,540,000.00	138,160,000
Dimes	16,945,563.00	169,455,630
Total subsidiary	58,784,563.00	322,213,630
MINOR		
Five-cent pieces	2,228,400.00	44,568,000
One-cent pieces	2,927,550.00	292,755,000
Total minor	5,155,950.00	337,323,000
Total domestic	63,940,513.00	659,536,630
Proof sets struck in 1966 through February	None	
Coinage executed at San Francisco Assay Office for Panama, ¼ balboas	7,180,000	

ALBERT SCHWEITZER MEDAL



Dr. Albert Schweitzer, famed humanitarian, is the subject of the 20th medal issued by the National Commemorative Society for its members. Sculptured by the talented Elizabeth Jones, the medal's reverse features a caduceus over a cross bearing the word "Lambarene," where much of Schweitzer's West African work was done. Around the medical symbol are the words "Physician • Musician • Philosopher • Theologian," as each of which Schweitzer held a doctorate.

Numismatic Vignettes

■ Our March page drew fire! G. R. L. Potter, a much respected Canadian numismatist, wrote that the quotation attributed to Sir Thomas Gresham "was an attempt of H. D. Macleod in 1857 to define the principle commonly quoted as 'bad money drives out good' — a principle long recognized before Gresham saw the light of day. Macleod suggested the name 'Gresham's law' under the mistaken impression that it was first enunciated by Sir Thomas Gresham, and the name stuck."

We quoted indirectly and incompletely from the *Encyclopedia Britannica*. Potter is correct — he quoted direct from the same source.

■ Words, words, words, and war! Without words an editor couldn't exist; yet with them he is constantly at war. Skillfully used they can reveal man's innermost thoughts and profound truths. Artfully used they may imply just what the reader or listener wants to hear, but without revealing anything or committing anyone. Carelessly used they can break the strongest bonds of friendship, incite hatred, and even cause wars. Far too often words are just words — neither skillful nor artful nor careless, but merely ink on paper, conveying nothing new or helpful or stimulating or even harmful — just words without import.

Consider this excerpt from a newspaper editorial: Words are wonderful things. If you can hit upon just the right ones and get them into the most effective order they may accomplish miracles. Used carelessly they can be disastrous.

■ Is there a genuine 1804 U. S. silver dollar? If you mean one struck in the Mint with mint dies, the answer is "yes." But if you mean one dated 1804 and struck in that year, the answer is "no." *The Fantastic 1804 Dollar* concludes that "There are no genuine 1804 dollars and those struck from Mint-made dies which bear that date are entedated fantasies. The 'King of American Coins' is an imposter, but

was made for a King." Newman and Bressett made exhaustive studies to reach that conclusion in the book published by Whitman.

■ In this age of silverless dimes and quarters and 40% silver half dollars, this is an unusual little piece. Slightly



larger than quarter size, stamped "sterling" on the smooth edge and with proof surfaces, it observed the 25th anniversary of Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs in 1964. True, the reverse must be considered commercial since it bears the emblem and name of Federal Brand Enterprises, Inc. The piece pictured came from Bertha Moretti, 1503 Wilmington Rd., New Castle, Pa. who noted that a few of the 1,000 issues are still available at \$1.75 each. It was struck in aluminum also at 25c.

■ There are now (1860) in circulation nearly 4000 counterfeit or fraudulent bills, . . . Of this number, a little over 200 are engraved imitations of the genuine, the residue being of general design entirely unlike the real issues of the banks whose names have been printed on them. — Gwynne & Day, *The Descriptive Register of Genuine Bank Notes*, 1860.

■ The comments on complete collections of coins on p. 292 in the March issue omitted the shortest possible sets. Prince Edward Island issued but one coin — the 1871 cent. Another one-coin set is that of Ruanda Urundi, a 1 franc piece of 1960. A two-coin set we overlooked is the ½ cent and 1 cent of Nova Scotia. And we did misspell Kiao Chau. Thanks to Flynn E. Hudson, Jr., A.N.A. No. 46340, and to G. R. L. Potter, C.N.A. No. 4. — GLENN S.

Librarians Report

The report is being shortened this month, omitting credits which will be published later, so that a list of reprints and other books for sale may be printed. Please see it in this issue under the indexed heading "Reprints available from Library."

Please add the following books to your library catalog:

- B-182 Bieber, Margarete. *The Portraits of Alexander The Great*, 1949.
- B-183 Bieber, Margarete. *Alexander The Great in Greek & Roman Art*, Illus., 1964.
- B-184 Bellinger, A. R. & Newell, E.T. *Seleucid Mint At Dura-Europos*.
- C-183 Cunietti-Ferrando, A.J. *Monedas De La Republica Argentina*.
- C-184 Cole, Howard N. *Coronation & Commemorative Medals, 1887-1953*.
- C-185 *Coin-Oddity Magazine*. Monthly publication devoted to errors, misstrikes, oddities, etc.
- D-98 Dye, John S. *Dye's Coin Encyclopedia*. A complete illustrated history of coins of the world, 1152 pp., 1883.
- G-93 Garza, J. Sanchez. *Historical Notes On Coins of the Mexican Revolution, 1913-1917*.
- G-94 Gayton, Carlos. *Billetes De Mexico*. Plates, 1965.
- G-95 Gould, C.P. *Money and Transportation in Maryland, 1720-1765*.
- K-99 Kellner, Hans-Jors. *Die Munzen Der Niederbayerischen Munzstarren*, 1958.
- K-100 Kadman, Leo. *The Coins of Aelia Capitolina*. (Jerusalem.)
- K-101 Kadman, Leo. *The Coins of Caesarea Maritima*. (Palestine.)
- K-102 Kadman, Leo. *The Coins of Akko Ptolemais*.

- M-180 Raymond, Wayne. *J. Pierpont Morgan Collection. Catalogue*, 1953.
- M-181 Metcalf, D. M. *Coinage in the Balkans, 820-1355*.
- M-182 Muhleman, Maurice L. *Monetary Systems of the World*. U.S. bonds, securities, etc.
- M-183 Madden, F. W. *History of Jewish Coinage*. Money in the old and new testament. 350 pp., 1864.
- N-92 Nussbaum, Arthur. *A History of the Dollar*. Colonial until after World War II. 308 pp.
- R-127 Rochette, Edward C. *Medallic Portraits of John F. Kennedy*. Illustrated and chapterized by year of issue, 1966.
- S-260 Seltman, Charles. *Masterpieces of Greek Coinage*. Illus.
- S-261 Schneider, W. A. *Evolution of the Silver Dollar*. Listing the specimens owned by the author, 1486-1958.
- S-262 Schjoth, Fredrik. *Chinese Currency*. A comprehensive text. Revised and edited by Virgil Hancock. In English. Chou Dynasty (1122 BC - 255 BC) through Ch'ing Dynasty (1644 AD - 1911 AD). Fully illus., prices quoted.
- T-55 Todd, Richard C. *Confederate Finance*. 257 pp.
- U-38 Utberg, Neil S. *The Coins of Estados Unidos Mexicanos. 1905-1965*. In English.
- U-39 Utberg, Neil S. *Numismatic Side-lines of Mexico*. Photographic tour of a portion of collections of Banco de Mexico. Many plates.
- V-25 Vlack, Robert A. *A Catalogue of Early American Coins. 1793-1796*. 2nd edition. 120 pp.

—JOHN J. GABARRON

NATIONAL COIN WEEK

Official entry reports and scrapbooks must reach me by May 25. Judges from six states will meet May 28 and their decisions will be final! Allow extra time for delays in mail processing, and be sure the address and zip code are correct. Good luck to all. — LOIS OTIS, 17643 Lincoln Ave., Homewood, Ill. 60430

Diamond Anniversary Convention

This summer will mark the tenth time that the American Numismatic Association has held its convention in Chicago, and the fourth in the Congress Hotel. Many things have changed since Dr. Heath and his small group of numismatists met in Chicago in October 1891 to organize the A.N.A. Today Chicago is as eager as ever to welcome all members to the organization's convention, especially in observance of its Diamond Anniversary. The five day event will be held August 16-20 in the Pick-Congress Hotel on Michigan Avenue.

The convention committees, under the direction of General Chairman Harry X Boosel, have planned exceptional events and tours to make the visitor's stay pleasant. Hospitality Chairmen Jules and Minnie Marshfield plan to welcome guests into the hospitality room with refreshments throughout the convention; and in addition various card tournaments are planned for the ladies. This year the ladies' luncheon will be a special treat as the annual event will be at the world famous Kungsholm Scandinavian Restaurant where they will enjoy a delicious smorgasbord luncheon and also see the Kungsholm puppet opera. The luncheon is planned for Wednesday, August 17, at a cost of only \$2.00.

Marty Greene, registration chairman, has planned several interesting tours for visitors. On Wednesday, an after dark bus tour of the city will be available to A.N.A. members and other registered guests. Starting at 8:30 p.m. and lasting 2 hours, this tour will cover many of the city's points of interest, including the lake front, Old Town, and China Town. This special tour will cost \$2.00 per person. A grand daytime tour is planned for Thursday, August 18, starting at 2:30 p.m. and lasting about three hours. It will cover the entire city from the University of Chicago on the south to Northwestern University on the north — and much in between. This \$2.00 tour can not be duplicated for the price.



Marty Greene

Two hundred choice box seats have been reserved for A.N.A. conventioners at the Friday, August 19, afternoon baseball game between the Chicago Cubs and the Pittsburgh Pirates. Specially chartered buses will leave the

convention hotel at 12:30 p.m. and return immediately following the ball game. The cost of the trip, including the box seat ticket and transportation



Jules and Mrs. Marshfield (Photos by Rehder)

to and from Wrigley Field, will be \$4.00 per person.

The final tour could be the outstanding event of the convention for those who participate. On Friday, a gala night club and dinner tour is arranged for adult registered guests. It will begin from the Pick-Congress at 6:30 p.m. and return sometime after 1 a.m., and will include dinner and visits to four night clubs. Starting with a steak dinner at the famed George Diamond Steak House and proceeding to the night spots, tour members will be treated to refreshments, dancing, and floor shows. The entire cost of this tour, including all taxes and cover charges, will be \$16.00 per ticket. Making this trip individually would cost the conventioneer a great deal more.

On Saturday morning, August 20, A.N.A. Club Representatives will hold their breakfast-meeting in the hotel's Florentine Room. The convention will wind up with a gala Diamond Anniversary banquet Saturday evening. A "Dutch treat" cocktail hour will start at 7 p.m., with seating for the banquet

starting at 7:30. The dinner will be held in the spacious and beautiful Great Hall of the Pick-Congress, one of the city's outstanding banquet halls. The complete cost of the dinner, including entertainment, has been set at \$7.50.

Marty Greene pointed out that the price of the registration, including the convention badge inset with a diamond, is being held to \$3.00. He urged those planning to attend the convention to send for their pre-registration form immediately. Advance registration is the only way to make sure that you will receive a convention badge, as only 4,000 are planned.

The registration chairman said that pre-registration for the ladies' luncheon, the tours, the baseball game, the club representatives' breakfast, the banquet, as well as convention registration, should be made as soon as possible. Application forms and hotel reservation cards may be obtained from Greene at P.O. Box 41, Northbrook, Ill. 60062.

Exhibits

Exhibit rules have been released by the exhibit rules committee of A.N.A., of which Governor Virginia Culver is chairman. Convention Chairman Boosel pointed out that several changes have been made from previous rules, such as: 1—no exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in competition, group A; 2—all noncompetitive (group B) exhibitors must be invited by the convention committee, and those entering in this group may not exhibit competitively; 3—previous best-of-show winners may not enter a competitive exhibit in the same classification in which the award was won; 4—exhibit space will be allocated in the order requests are received so long as space is available, and preference will be given to collectors outside the Chicago area.

As in past years, exhibits will be divided into three groups. Group A, competitive, is limited to members of the Association, officers and convention committee chairmen excluded. Group B, noncompetitive, is limited to those invited by the general chairman or his representative. Group C, competitive, is for A.N.A. junior members only, who may exhibit in groups A or B also, but

the one competitive exhibit rule applies. Competitive exhibits are limited to not more than five 18" by 30" A.N.A. type cases, or 3000 square inches in overall area, displayed either horizontally or vertically.

Exhibit rooms will be opened to the public at noon on Tuesday, August 16,



Exhibit Chm. Grebinger, I., and Security Chm. Babka. Both answer to "Jim," so beware of confusion.

and at 10 a.m. on the other four days. The exhibits will close at 10 p.m. the first four days and at 4 p.m. the final afternoon to give exhibitors time to dismantle their displays and attend that evening's banquet. Uniformed guards will be on duty around the clock in the exhibit rooms from 8 a.m. Tuesday until 6 p.m. Saturday. A security room will be open from noon on Monday prior to the convention until noon of the following Monday.

Competitive group A will be divided into twelve classifications: U.S. coins; U.S. paper money; medals, orders and decorations; tokens; obsolete paper money; coins prior to 1500 A.D.; foreign coins after 1500 A.D.; foreign paper money; all gold coins; Latin American; Canadian; and general and specialized. First, second and third place awards will be given in each class if, in the opinion of the judges, there are exhibits which merit such awards. From the first place winners, the Howland Wood best-in-show award recipient will be selected by the judges.

Judging will be conducted on the 100 point system, with 35 points maximum for numismatic information conveyed, 30 for arrangement and originality, 15 for completeness, and 10 points each for

condition and rarity of the material. The judges' decision will be final and binding in all cases.

Complete exhibit rules and an application form may be obtained from Exhibit Chairman J. L. Grebinger, P. O. Box 614, Oak Park, Ill. 60303. All applications must be in the exhibit chairman's hands no later than July 30. An exhibit area of approximately 7,200 square feet is available for competitive exhibits, including group C, but already many applications have been received. Those who want space are advised to contact the exhibit chairman without delay.

All requests for exhibit application forms must be made in writing to the chairman.

Hotel Rooms

The committee urges those who want a room in the convention hotel to make reservations promptly. Practically the entire Pick-Congress Hotel has been set aside for convention guests, and reservations are not being accepted from others, yet it is almost certain that some will have to be housed in nearby hotels. There are rooms of various sizes and prices; some with a view of Lake Michigan, Grant Park and Buckingham Fountain; and some without any special view — you may have your choice if you reserve early. Simply drop a request for a rate and reservation card to Harry X Boosel, P. O. Box 132 Northtown Sta., Chicago, Ill. 60645.

Birthday Greetings to:

John Amos West of Augusta, Kans., whose birthday is May 5. He entered the A.N.A. December 1, 1925 as number 2941 and has been a member since that time, having received the 25 year continuous Membership Award in 1951.

T. J. Barnes of Norwalk, Iowa, who was born on May 9. As number 2385, he enrolled June 1, 1922. He has been a member for forty-four years and received the 25 year continuous Membership Award in 1949.

Robert G. Mateer of Westfield, New Jersey, who was born on May 23. He enrolled March 1, 1925 as number 2808, has been a member since that time, receiving the 25 year continuous Membership Award in 1950.

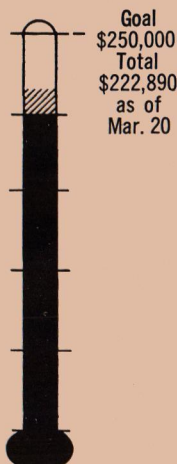
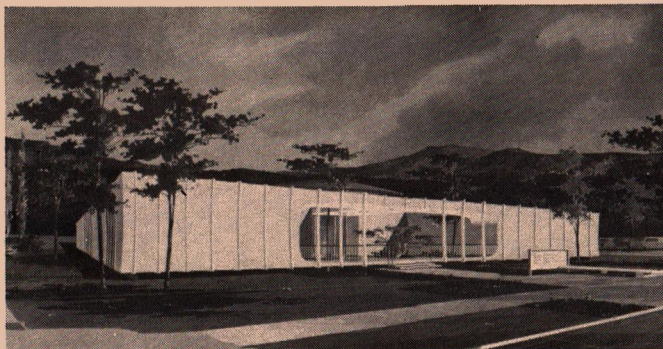
A special greeting to Honorary Member George L. Tilden, who was born May 12, 1873. He was general secretary in 1911 and is the senior surviving official of our organization. He is the recipient of the 25 and 50 year Membership Awards.

LIBERTY SERIES MEDAL



The 3rd and last medal in the liberty series is now available at many department store coin departments and from Coin & Currency Institute, 393 Seventh Ave., New York, N.Y. 10001. Struck in silver at the U.S. mint in 1¼ inch size and in bronze by Medallion Art Co. in 2½ inch size, the medals are \$10 and \$4 each, respectively. The reverse depicts the scene of Castle Clinton, one of the forts built for the defense of New York harbor, as it appeared in 1812.

A.N.A. Building Fund



A National Home and Headquarters Will:

- ▶ Make possible more and better services to A.N.A. members through increased efficiency and consolidation of scattered facilities and personnel;
- ▶ Provide for expected rapid growth and expansion of A.N.A. and its programs;
- ▶ House the nation's largest circulating numismatic library and improve the dissemination of numismatic knowledge and information through its audio-visual program and its publications;
- ▶ Provide for the establishment of a national numismatic museum;
- ▶ Be a symbol of the importance of the collecting and study of money from the dawn of civilization to the present and tomorrow;
- ▶ Afford every member an opportunity to have a tangible part in the A.N.A. for its betterment and the advancement and enjoyment of numismatics on a nationwide scale.

No.	Name and Location	Cash	Coins, etc.
2916	George D. Hoyer, Parkesburg, Pa.	\$	10.00
2917	Western Coin Collector, Denver, Colo.		25.00
2918	Odas R. Hudson, Mineral Wells, Texas		10.00
2919	R. S. Clunan, II, Baton Rouge, La.		10.00
2920	Elghus James, Delano, Calif.		25.00
2921	Howard M. Abbott, Scarsdale, N. Y.		25.00
2923	Maj. Leslie E. Fosterman, APO, N. Y.		25.00
2924	James R. Hanna, Lafayette, La.		10.00
2926	Edgar J. Morton, Collierville, Tenn.		10.00
2927	Louis W. Gold, Woodbridge, Conn.		10.00
2928	James D. Nash, Des Moines, Iowa		10.00
2929	A. J. Flagg, Reno, Nev.		10.00
2930	Hall Stamp & Coin Co., Portland, Me.		15.00
2931	J. William Ross, Pittsburgh, Pa.		20.00
2932	Ralph H. Ullrich, Mountainside, N. J.		10.00
2933	Charles H. Gremmels, Durango, Colo.		10.00
2934	Blackhawk Coin & Stamp Club, Byron, Ill.		10.00
2935	Totem Coin Club, Anchorage, Alaska		10.00
2936	Mexico Coin Club, Mexico, Mo.		10.00
2937	Virginia Numismatic Assoc., Norfolk, Va.		50.00
2938	Philippine Numismatic & Antiquarian Soc., Manila, Philippines		12.00
2939	Camden County Coin Club, Riverton, N. J.	100.00	
2940	M. M. Caulfield, Highland, Ill.		40.00
2941	C. A. Dunbar, Inglewood, Calif.		10.00
2942	M. H. Bolender, San Marino, Calif.		550.00
2943	Elliott Markoff, Los Angeles, Calif.		800.00
2944	Dr. Ray Waddle, Junction City, Kansas		20.00
2945	Emmett McDonald, East Northport, L. I., N. Y.		110.00

No.	Name and Location	Cash	Coins, etc.
2946	Walt B. Keeney, Alhambra, Calif.		10.00
2947	Ben W. Williams, Sunnyvale, Calif.	10.00	50.00
2948	V. J. Melnechuck, Brooklyn, N. Y.		25.00
2949	Coin & Currency Institute, New York, N. Y.	1,000.00	
2950	Dr. Philip W. & Maxine G. Whiteley, Denver, Colo.	(not building fund)	
2951	National Commemorative Society, Philadelphia, Pa.	2,000.00 (medal)	
2952	Matt H. Rothert, Camden, Ark.		830.00
Nos. 2922 and 2925 - each less than \$10		9.00	
Cash and coins received in this report, donors 2916-2952.....		\$ 3,446.00	*\$ 2,445.00
Previously reported receipts, including interest earned, etc.		199,915.23	* 14,208.48
Totals		\$203,361.23	*\$16,653.48
Unpaid balance of pledges made		\$ 2,875.00	

*Contributions in coins, etc., listed at donors' valuations.

More Gifts to A.N.A.

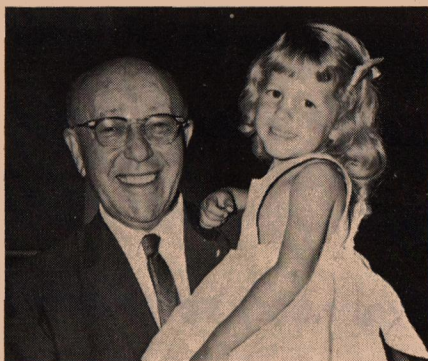
Elliott Markoff of Los Angeles gave a well preserved fractional currency shield to A.N.A. for its home and headquarters, to be built in Colorado Springs, during the February convention of NASC in Los Angeles. The shield, a treasured memento from Civil War days, will be placed on display in the new headquarters.

A. Kosoff, who will conduct the Diamond Anniversary convention auction in Chicago, was instrumental in securing this and other fine gifts. He recalled that Markoff became interested in coins in 1945 and has since won many exhibit awards, including best-of-show at both Cal State and NASC conventions. Markoff said that his gift to A.N.A. is in gratitude for the enjoyment and benefits which numismatics has given him.

Another recent gift was Dr. Philip Whiteley's important numismatic literature donation to the Association's library. Already one of the country's finest numismatic libraries, additions such as Dr. Whiteley provided are most welcome improvements to it. The doctor, who lives in Denver, but a short distance from the site of the new headquarters which will house the library, started collecting as a child when his English grandfather gave him some pence and halfpence. His personal library includes much on Western Americana.

Kosoff reported that many fine contributions of material for the home and

headquarters donation auction have been received. He urges everyone planning to make a tax deductible do-



Elliott Markoff and granddaughter Bonnie.

nation to the Chicago auction to get the material to him very quickly. Deadline for completing the auction catalog is almost upon him.

The total in the building fund continues to increase, not rapidly but steadily, toward the original goal of \$250,000. In addition to modest donations by many members who thus show their faith in the Association, there were several sizable ones during the past month. Already the leader in amount of help to the fund, the National Commemorative Society contributed another platinum proof medal which sold for \$2,000, raising this Society's total to \$14,975. Another gift valued at \$830 came from A.N.A. President Rothert, who long ago became a "patron." The Coin & Currency Institute of New York City sent a much appreciated check for \$1,000; and M. H. Bolender, who probably has attended

more A.N.A. conventions than any other living dealer, donated coins valued at \$550 for the 1966 convention auction.

Elsewhere in this issue is a report of the board's actions in completing negotiations for the building site in Colorado Springs, and further information and details of plans for the building itself.

Actual construction is expected to begin this summer, so those who want to have their names recorded as helping make this long-standing dream a reality should respond promptly. Send checks to Acting Executive Secretary Jack R. Koch, P. O. Box 16243, Phoenix, Ariz. 85011.

A.N.A. DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY MEDAL

As we go to press, word has been received that Congress has passed the bill to provide for the striking of the A.N.A. 75th anniversary medal at the United States Mint, and that this medal be considered a national medal. The bill (see p. 309 in March issue) was sent to the President's desk for signature. The A.N.A. medals committee has been working for some time on designs and expects to submit them to the board very soon for approval. It is expected that this commemorative medal will be placed on sale first at the Diamond Anniversary convention in Chicago in August.

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250 Clubs — Wichita Coin Club, Detroit Coin Club, McKeesport Coin Collectors Club, Milwaukee Numismatic Society, Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association, Heart of America Numismatic Association, Zebulon Pike Coin Club, Numismatic Association of Southern California, Hutchinson Coin Club, Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association, Rochester Numismatic Association, Pueblo Coin Club, Arkansas Valley Coin Club, Louisiana Numismatic Association, Omaha Coin Club, Chicago Coin Club, Denver Coin Club, Newton Coin Club, Boeing Coin Club, Evansville Coin Club, Oak Park Coin Club, Texas Numismatic Association, Pine Bluff Numismatic Society, California State Numismatic Association, Indiana State Numismatic Association, Washington Numismatic Society, Arkansas Numismatic Society, Muncie Coin & Stamp Club, Racine Numismatic Society, Council of International Numismatics, Bergen County Coin Club, Cheshire County Numismatic Society, San Diego Numismatic Society, Empire State Numismatic Association, Amarillo Coin Club, Southeastern Sierra Coin Club, Alabama Numismatic Society, Indianapolis Coin Club, Fairfield County Numismatic Association, Jefferson County Coin Club, Las Vegas Numismatic Society, Boulder Coin Club, Midwest Numismatic Association, Central Illinois Numismatic Association, Toledo Coin Club, Token & Medal Society, Kansas City, Kansas Coin Club, Lehigh Valley Coin Club, Philadelphia Coin Club, Maine Numismatic Association and Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs.

From the President's Desk

In making your plans for this summer, be sure to include a trip to Chicago August 16 to 20. You just must attend our big Diamond Anniversary convention at the Pick-Congress Hotel. Chicago is one of the finest vacation and convention cities in the whole world and has a wealth of entertainment of all kinds to offer you.

Seventy-five years ago the A.N.A. held its first "convention" in Chicago, so this year's will be one convention you will not want to miss. Our Chicago convention committee, headed by Harry X Boosel, is working hard to give you the greatest numismatic event ever held. The original idea of a national gathering of numismatists started with Dr. George F. Heath, the founder of the American Numismatic Association. His small affair, held in the Commercial Hotel in Chicago in 1891, when there were only 61 persons listed as members was the beginning. How we wish he could see the big conclave, not far from the actual spot of the first one, this August, seventy-five years later!

It is now a part of our bylaws that "The Association shall meet in convention once every year, at such time and place as may be decided upon by the Board of Governors. The time and place thereof shall be officially announced by the President in at least one issue of the official magazine, published prior to said convention." This provision was carried out in the April issue, and again I urge you to attend. — MATT H. ROTHERT, President.

A.N.A. Reward Fund Rules

The American Numismatic Association agrees to pay a reward to the person or persons submitting written evidence to the A.N.A. Executive Secretary which leads to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons committing burglary, theft or robbery of numismatic items owned by any member of the A.N.A. Authorization to pay the reward will be made by the Board of Governors according to the following rules:

1. If the retail price of the numismatic items stolen is less than \$5,000, the reward shall be \$250. If the retail price of the numismatic items stolen is at least \$5,000, and not more than \$20,000, the reward shall be \$500. If the retail price of the numismatic items stolen is in excess of \$20,000, the reward shall be \$1,000.

2. The reward shall not be paid by the A.N.A. until all appellate proceedings have been completed and the accused has received an ultimate conviction.

3. If one person (or more if working together in the same theft) is arrested and convicted in more than one theft, the reward shall be paid only once, but the amount of the reward shall be determined by the total amount stolen from A.N.A. members in accordance with rule No. 1.

4. If more than one person is involved

in a theft of numismatic items, the reward shall be paid in full only if all persons involved are arrested and convicted. A proportionate amount will be offered if less than all involved are arrested and convicted.

5. All claims for reward shall be made not later than 90 days following the conviction.

6. Law enforcement officers are not eligible for this reward.

7. The A.N.A. Reward Committee shall make recommendations to the Board of Governors regarding any disputes arising over a reward payment. The Board's decision shall be final and conclusive.

8. The name of the person or persons to whom the reward is given may be withheld if it is considered in the best interest of the recipient.

9. No person shall be entitled to a re-

ward in connection with any theft in which he has participated, unless such reward is approved by the A.N.A. Reward Committee.

10. The word "theft" as used herein shall be deemed to mean "burglary, theft or robbery."

11. This reward offer may be withdrawn at any time by publication of such withdrawal in *The Numismatist*. Such withdrawal shall not apply to rewards based on evidence submitted to the Executive Secretary prior to such publication.

Calendar of Numismatic Events

- Bakersfield Coin Club. 5th annual show, Apr. 29-May 1, Kern County Fair Grounds. Chm. H. Boss, 10 Loma Linda Dr., Bakersfield, Calif.
- Central States Numis. Soc. 24th annual convention, Apr. 29-May 1, Claypool Hotel, Indianapolis. Chm. Leo G. Terry, 335 S. Dearborn St., Indianapolis, Ind. 46201.
- Ontario Numis. Assn. Annual convention, Apr. 29-May 1, Cleary Auditorium, Windsor, Canada. Chm. Paul J. Landry, 14200 St. Marys St., Detroit, Mich. 48227.
- Platte Valley Coin Club. Spring show, April 30-May 1, K.C. Hall, North Platte, Nebr. Address the Club, P. O. Box 1144, North Platte, Nebr. 69101.
- Victoria Numis. Club. 5th annual show, Apr. 30-May 1, Continental Inn Motel, Victoria, Tex. Chm. Henry N. Puckett, P. O. Box 3155, Victoria, Tex. 77903.
- New England Coll. Assn. Show, May 1, Kimball Towers, Springfield. Chm. Roger H. Gaboury, 36 Eckington St., Springfield, Mass.
- Wayne County Coin Club. Annual show, May 1, Wooster National Guard Armory. Bourse Chm. Randall Hartley, 738 Hamilton, Wooster, Ohio 44691.
- Fort Collins Coin Club. 11th annual show, May 7, Holiday Inn, Fort Collins, Colo. Buell S. Borden, P. O. Box 1612, Fort Collins, Colo. 80521.
- Northern Oklahoma Coin Club. Show, May 7-8, Continental Oil Co. Gym., Ponca City, Okla. Chm. A. H. Erwin, 320 E. Oklahoma, Ponca City, Okla. 74601.
- Winona Coin Club. Annual show, May 7-8, Old Bank Bldg., Winona, Minn. Miss Orlane Kittle, chm., 227 West 2nd St., Winona, Minn. 55987.
- NAPA Valley Coin Club. Annual show, May 8, Napa Fairgrounds, Napa, Calif.
- Indiana State Numis. Assn. 8th annual convention, May 13-15, McCurdy Hotel, Evansville. Chm. Sterling Harrison, 1351 Washington St., Evansville, Ind. 47714.
- Sin-A-Wik Coin Club. Western Heritage coin show, May 14-15, Huckins Hotel, Oklahoma City. Bourse Chm. R. H. Pfeffer, 1015 N.W. 31, P. O. Box 75293, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73107.
- Monroe County Coin Club. 2nd annual show, May 15, YMCA, 809 Main St., Stroudsburg. Chm. E. T. Wolverton, 730 Monroe St., Stroudsburg, Penna. 18360.
- Niagara Frontier Numis. Assn. 5th semi-annual show, May 15, Grand Island (N.Y.) Fire Hall. Chm. Joseph Dolansky, 1113 Main St., Niagara Falls, N. Y.
- Rockford Area Coin Club. Spring show, May 15, Sherwood Lodge, Loves Park, Ill. Chm. Ralph Winquist, 1004 "C" St., Rockford, Ill. 61107.
- Pacific Northwest Numis. Assn. 23rd annual convention, May 19-22, Olympic Hotel, Seattle. Bourse Chm. Clarence Heppner, 1331 Third Ave., Seattle, Wash. 98101.
- Empire State Numis. Assn. 32nd semi-annual convention, May 20-22, Arlington Hotel, Binghamton, N. Y. Triple Cities Coin Club, host. Chm. Fred G. Hunter, 67 Broome St., Binghamton, N. Y. 13903.
- Covina Coin Club. 5th annual coin-a-rama, May 22, Citrus College, Azusa, Calif. Chm. Frank Strauss, 122 S. Myrtle Ave., Monrovia, Calif.
- Redwood Empire Coin Club. 2nd coin-a-rama, May 22, El Rancho Tropicana Lodge, Santa Rosa, Calif. Chm. Paul Snedaker, 1910 - 11th Ave., San Francisco, Calif.
- Arkansas Numis. Society. 18th annual show, May 28-29, Hotel Marion, Little Rock. Bourse Chm. Charles Weir, P. O. Box 2111, Little Rock, Ark.
- Clark County Coin Club. Spring Show, May 29, Women's Bldg., County Fairgrounds, Springfield, Ohio. Chm. Everett Snapp, 7041 Old Troy Pike, St. Paris, Ohio 43072.
- Southern Colorado Numis. Assn. 8th annual show, June 3-5, Continental-Pueblo Motor Hotel, Pueblo. Sec. Herman Boraker, P. O. Box 204, Rocky Ford, Colo. 81067.
- Amarillo Coin Club. Show, June 4-5, Herring Hotel, Amarillo. Gen. Chm. Joe Dooley, 2210 Bonham, Amarillo, Texas.
- Greater Orange Coin Club. Annual show, June 4-5, Jack Tar Hotel, Orange, Texas. Chm. Howard H. Black, 12 Circle "C", Orange, Texas.
- Midwest Numis. Assn. 4th annual show, June 10-12, Hotel President, Kansas City, Mo. Bourse Chm. Charles Chancellor, P. O. Box 9622, Kansas City, Mo. 64134.
- Washington Coin Club. Show, June 11-12, TraveLand Motel. Bourse Chm. Bill Mason, TraveLand Motel, Washington, N. C. 27889.
- Pomona Valley Coin Club. 6th annual show, June 11-12, Los Angeles Co. Fairgrounds, Bldg. 22, Pomona. Contact the Club, P. O. Box 36, Pomona, Calif.
- Oklahoma City Coin Club. 3rd annual numismatic seminar, June 12, Sheraton Hotel, Oklahoma City. Chm. Jake B. Sureck, 323 N.W. Third St., Oklahoma City, Okla. 73102.

Blue Ridge Numis. Assn. 7th annual convention, June 16-19, Knoxville, Tenn. Gen. Chm. Paul Garland, 608 Mountain View Ave., Maryville, Tenn. 37801.

Council of International Numismatics. Convention, June 17-19, International Hotel, Los Angeles. Chm. Harvey L. Rose, P. O. Box 577, La Mesa, Calif. 92043.

Altoona Coin Club. Annual show, June 18-19, Penn Alto Motor Hotel, Altoona. Chm. John L. Parker, 2417 Broad Ave., Altoona, Pa. 16603.

Silver Sands Coin Club. 2nd annual show, June 18-19, Four Winds Restaurant, Panama City. Chm. Charles Lauderdale, 8 Princeton Circle, Panama City, Fla. 32401.

Metropolitan Washington Numis. Assn. 2nd annual convention, July 7-10, Sheraton-Park Hotel, Washington, D.C. Chm. George Sandy, The Assn., P. O. Box 7392 Ben Franklin Sta., Washington, D. C.

Key City Coin Club. 6th annual show, July 9-10, Sands Motor Hotel, Abilene. Chm. D. R. Pratt, 4049 Laurel Drive, Abilene, Texas 79603.

San Bernardino County Coin Club. Annual show, July 9-10, San Bernardino, Calif.

Alabama Numis. Society. Annual convention, July 20-23, Thomas Jefferson Hotel, Birmingham. Gen. Chm. Purnie Moore, P. O. Box 3601, West End Sta., Birmingham, Ala. 35211.

North East Ohio Coin Club. 6th annual show, July 22-24, Pick-Carter Hotel, Cleveland. Chm. Rose Engelman, 14015 Superior Rd., Cleveland, Ohio 44118.

Orders & Medals Soc. of America. 7th annual convention, Aug. 12-14, Pick-Congress Hotel, Chicago. Chm. L. Richard Smith, 2857 N. Western Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60618.

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Canadian Numismatic Assn. Thirteenth annual convention, Aug. 25-27, New Marlborough Hotel, Winnipeg. Gen. Chm. Albert Stern, 457 Main St., Winnipeg, Man., Canada.

Kentucky State Numis. Assn. 6th annual convention, Aug. 26-28, Jaycee Civic Center, Paducah. Bourse Chm. Lee Schroeder, 1100 Jefferson St., Paducah, Ky. 42001.

Northern Calif. Numis. Assn. 5th annual exhibition, Sept. 15-18, San Francisco Hilton Hotel. Col. Everett K. Higgins, gen. chm., P. O. Box 5075, San Jose, Calif.

North Carolina Coin Clubs Assn. 8th annual convention, Oct. 7-9, War Memorial Town Hall, Greensboro. Bourse Chm. Ted Hendrick, P. O. Box 12052, Raleigh, N. C. 27605.

Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs. Show, Oct. 7-9, Commodore Perry Hotel, Toledo. Chm. Byron Place.

Minnesota Organization of Numis. Annual convention, Oct. 15-16, Hilton Hotel, St. Paul. Bourse Chm. William DeWitte, 522 Rice St., St. Paul, Minn. 55103.

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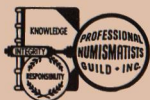
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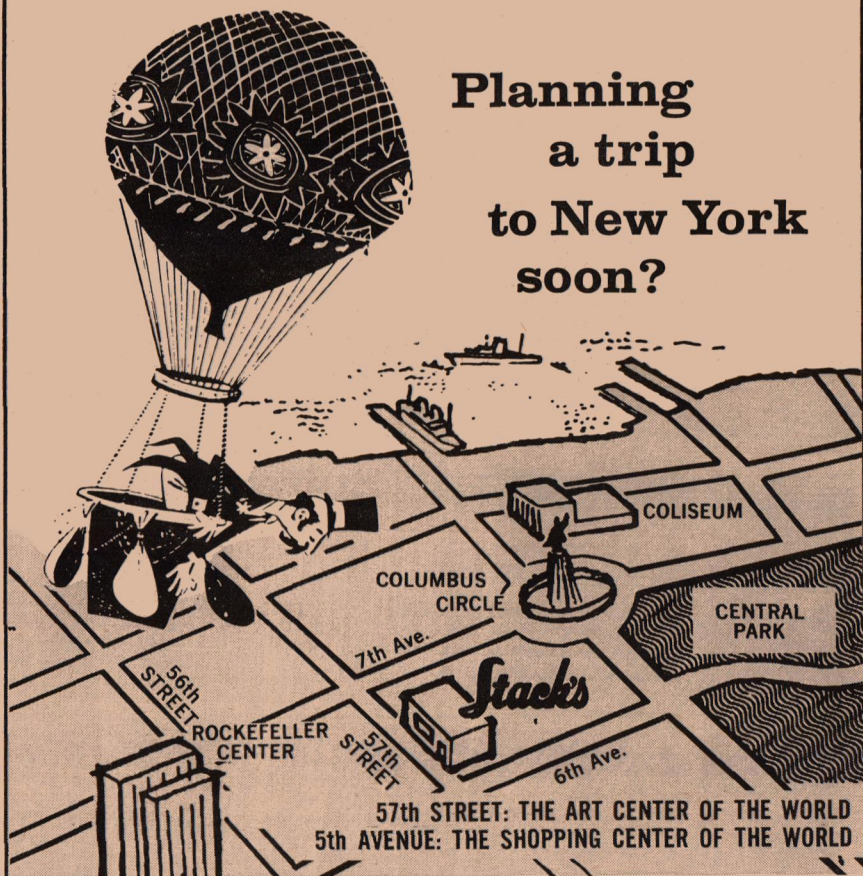
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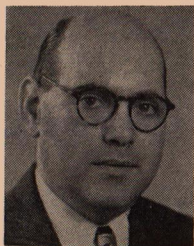
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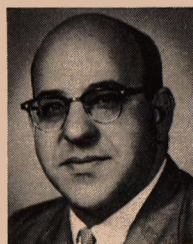
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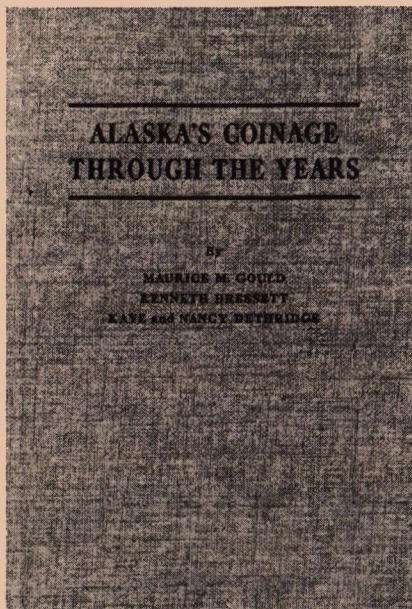
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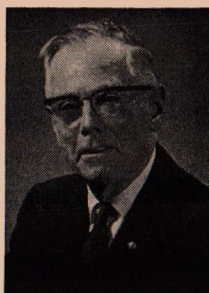
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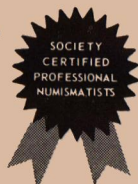
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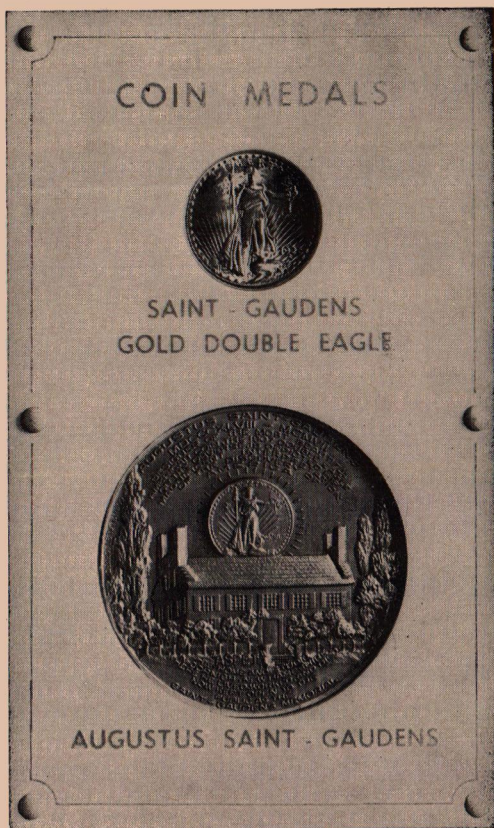
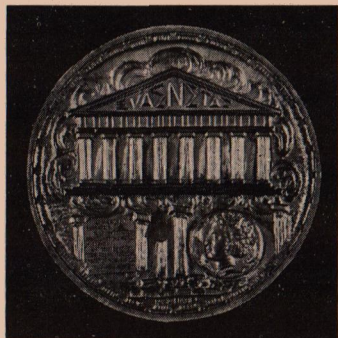
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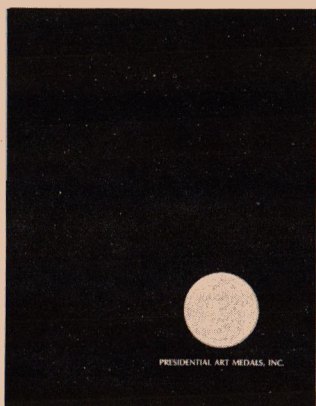
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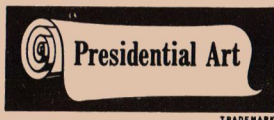


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1878-S	2.50
1878-CC	2.75	3.00	3.30	3.85	5.25	9.35	6.60
1879-P	2.50
1879-S	2.20
1879-O	2.20	2.75	6.05	3.85
1880-P	3.00
1880-CC	24.20	49.50
1880/79-CC	197.45
1880-S	2.20
1880-O	2.10	2.20	3.05	2.50
1881-P	1.95	2.05	3.80	3.05
1881-O	2.20
1881-S	2.20
1881-CC	39.60	50.00	65.45
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1882-O	2.50
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1883-CC	23.65	20.90
1883-S	1.90	2.20	2.40	3.30	5.00
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1884-O	2.20
1884-CC	33.00
1884-S	1.90	2.10	2.35	3.60	8.80	55.00	19.25
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1885-O	2.20
1885-CC	60.50
1885-S	11.00	8.80
1886-P	2.20
1886-O	2.20	2.50	3.05	6.05	18.10	8.80
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1887-O	1.95	2.50	3.30	4.40	3.85
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1894-S	38.50
1895-O	9.90	14.85	27.50	55.00	110.00
1895-S	14.85	24.20	66.00	121.00	192.50
1896-P	2.20	2.75	3.30	3.05
1896-O	1.95	2.20	3.05	5.25	22.00	11.00
1896-S	4.15	5.25	....	....	....	181.50	148.50
1897-P	2.75	3.05	6.60	4.70
1897-O	2.75	3.30	4.95	....	13.20
1897-S	3.60	5.50	9.90	7.70
1898-P	2.50	2.75	4.40	3.30
1898-O	3.30
1898-S	1.95	2.20	3.30	6.05	14.30	30.80	19.80
1899-P	14.30	26.95	17.60
1899-O	2.50	....
1899-S	2.10	....	....	8.80	22.00	49.50	....
1900-P	2.20	2.75	2.50
1900-O	2.50	....
1900-S	8.80	16.50	22.00	18.70
1901-P	6.60	....	....	....
1901-O	2.50	....
1901-S	2.20	2.75	3.85	9.90	....	30.80	....
1902-O	2.50	....
1902-S	66.00	....
1902-P	3.30	11.10	....
1903-P	5.50	6.60	11.10	7.70
1903-O	34.10	....
1903-S	3.85	4.95	....	....	....	....	....
1904-P	3.05	4.15	7.15	....	9.90
1904-O	2.95
1904-S	8.25	24.75	192.50
1921-P	2.20
1921-O	2.20	3.50	6.60
1921-S	1.95	2.20	6.35	4.40

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1921	13.20	14.85	17.05	30.80	23.10
1922	2.20
1922-D	1.95	2.20	3.00	6.05	4.40
1922-S	1.95	2.20	2.75	6.35
1923-P	2.20	....
1923-D	2.50	2.75	4.15	14.80	....
1923-S	1.95	2.20	2.75	6.35	3.30
1924-P	2.25	2.50	....	4.15	....
1924-S	6.60	8.80	16.50	54.45	....
1925-P	1.95	2.50	2.75	3.60	3.30
1925-S	4.40	4.95	9.00	23.10	13.20
1926-P	8.00	8.55	9.35	14.85	11.00
1926-D	2.25	2.75	3.30	4.40	7.15	14.85	10.45
1926-S	2.50	3.05	3.30	12.10	5.50
1927-P	18.70	22.00	26.40	33.00	28.60
1927-D	6.60	7.70	9.90	15.40	20.90	33.00	....
1927-S	9.90	12.10	18.15	27.50	68.20	....
1928-P	60.00	67.50	75.00	85.00	115.50	....
1928-S	3.85	4.95	9.00	13.00	33.00	27.50
1934-P	15.00	17.00	20.00	27.50	29.70	26.40
1934-D	6.60	8.25	13.20	22.00	36.30	30.80
1934-S	9.00	17.60	44.00	165.00
1935-P	9.90	13.20	16.50	24.20	19.80
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1933D	25.00	NM	NM	NM	NM	1948D	.40	1.10	1.20	1.70	7.50
1933S	NM	NM	NM	NM	95.00	1948S	1.65	2.90	1.50	1.70	NM
1934	3.00	12.00	12.00	14.00	10.00	1949	.50	1.10	8.50	14.00	28.50
1934D	12.00	16.00	19.00	65.00	29.00	1949D	.55	1.25	2.40	4.00	12.00
1934S	NM	NM	NM	NM	65.00	1949S	2.10	3.20	11.50	NM	23.00
1935	1.00	4.00	3.00	8.00	8.50	1950	.30	3.70	1.30	1.25	15.00
1935D	2.00	10.00	27.50	55.00	40.00	1950D	.25	13.50	1.30	1.35	9.50
1935S	4.65	7.50	9.00	44.00	65.00	1950S	.90	NM	10.50	4.00	NM
1936	.65	4.00	2.00	8.00	7.50	1951	.55	1.25	1.20	1.00	4.00
1936D	1.75	3.75	19.50	275.00	18.50	1951D	.15	1.80	.80	.75	9.50
1936S	4.65	7.50	9.00	44.00	65.00	1951S	1.00	6.00	9.50	6.50	9.50
1937	.60	4.60	2.10	7.00	9.50	1952	.85	.40	.55	.80	3.50
1937D	1.20	3.50	5.50	10.00	57.50	1952D	.15	4.40	.95	.80	1.75
1937S	1.65	6.00	6.00	65.00	45.00	1952S	.70	1.30	2.40	3.60	8.00
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1938D	3.20	6.00	12.50	NM	185.00	1953S	.55	1.20	.90	1.50	5.00
1938S	3.20	10.00	6.50	29.50	NM	1954	.90	.20	.25	.45	1.95
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1940D	1.10	1.40	1.80	42.50	NM	1955S	.70	NM	1.10	NM	NM
1940S	.70	2.00	1.90	7.50	13.00	1956	.15	.25	.20	.50	4.00
1941	.70	.75	1.35	2.20	6.50	1956D	.10	.15	.20	.55	NM
1941D	1.35	1.20	2.80	5.25	13.25	1957	.10	.80	.20	.40	2.60
1941S	1.20	1.50	2.00	7.80	31.50	1957D	.10	.10	.30	.40	1.00
1942	.35	1.15	1.30	2.30	4.70	1958	.15	.70	.75	2.00	3.50
1942P		7.50				1958D	.10	.15	.20	.40	1.00
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1942S	5.40	3.60	3.25	23.00	13.00	1959D	.10	.10	.20	.40	1.50
1943	.35	2.00	1.30	1.30	4.50	1960SD	7.95				
1943D	.60	3.75	1.30	3.40	10.50	1960D SD	.35				
1943S	1.10	1.30	1.55	6.25	16.00	1960	.05	.15	.20	.45	2.30
1944	.25	3.25	1.20	1.10	4.70	1960D	.05	.10	.20	.40	1.10
1944D	.25	2.50	1.10	3.00	6.50	1961	.05	.10	.25	.40	1.65
1944S	.45	3.10	1.10	3.00	6.25	1961D	.05	.10	.20	.40	1.25
1945	.35	3.10	1.30	.95	4.70	1962	.05	.10	.20	.40	1.65
1945D	.35	1.55	1.25	2.75	4.70	1962D	.05	.10	.20	.40	1.00
1945S	.55	1.30	1.15	1.90	6.00	1963	.05	.10	.20	.40	1.00
1946	.25	.35	.35	1.10	6.00	1963D	.05	.10	.20	.40	1.00
1946D	.40	1.20	.70	2.60	11.50	1964	.05	.10	.20	.40	1.00
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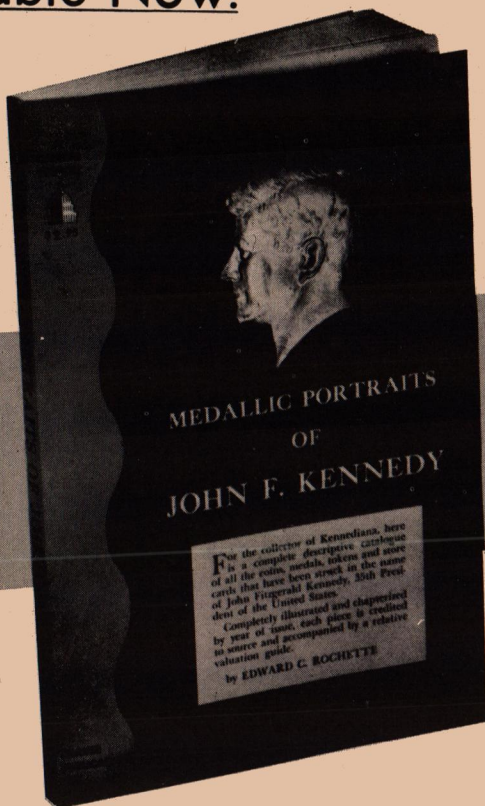
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1926-D	6.75	7.75	24.50	1953-S	1.00	1.25	9.25
1927-P	1.25	1.50	2.75	1954-P	4.50	4.75	3.75
1927-S	12.50	13.50	24.50	1954-S	1.10	1.25	3.75
1927-D	5.25	5.75	8.75	1955-S	14.50	16.50
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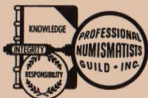
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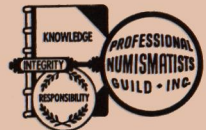
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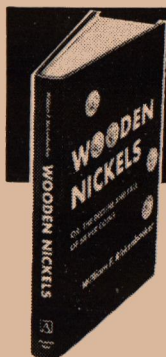
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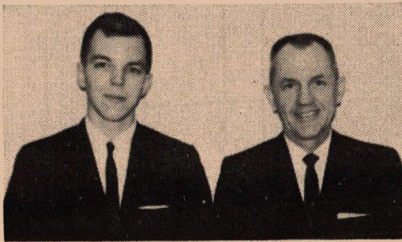
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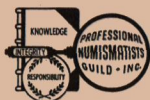
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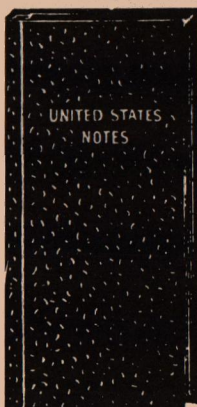
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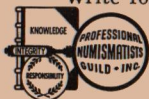
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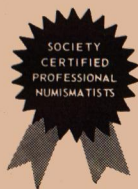
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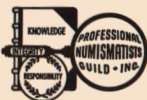
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